

A large, warm-toned collage of diverse people, including children and adults, smiling and interacting, is positioned on the right side of the page. The collage is set against a teal background that is split diagonally from the top left to the bottom right. The title "Missouri's Public Health System *in Action*" is overlaid on the teal background, with "in Action" in a script font. Below the title is a row of thirteen small black squares.

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Building Upon and Continuously Strengthening a Network

The Missouri public health system is in action every day, in every county of the state. It is this system that assures that children are immunized, that plans are in place for emergency and disaster management, that infectious diseases are detected and curtailed, that chronic diseases like cancer and asthma are the targets of prevention programs, that drinking water quality is monitored, that restaurant food is safe, and attention is given to preventing injuries.

Accomplishing these enormous tasks requires an integrated system that includes health professionals who are competent in cross-cutting and technical skills, public health agencies with the capacity to assess and respond to community health needs, and up-to-date information systems. And a robust infrastructure with adequate resources must be in place to support these system components.

An important step in assuring that adequate resources are available is sharing information on how resources are being used. That is why the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services and the Missouri Association of Local Public Health Agencies have developed the *Missouri's Public Health System in Action* report. This report highlights examples of how public health provides an often-invisible blanket of protection every day for each person who lives, works and plays in our state and communities. It tells stories of the dedication of public health workers to improve the health of their communities. It describes effective interventions that can be replicated in other communities. And it gives the picture in each county of the financial resources available as well as the citizens who reside there.

It is our hope that this report will be used to showcase how Missouri's public health system is at work in our communities, and to build support for providing additional resources needed to achieve the vision of *Healthy Missourians for Life*.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Julia M. Eckstein'.

Julia M. Eckstein, Director

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Stephanie K. Browning'.

Stephanie Browning, President

Missouri Association of Local Public Health Agencies

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Harrison	Holt
Livingston	Mercer
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Laclede	Phelps/Maries
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Public health means different things to different people. The Public Health in Action stories throughout this report reflect a sampling of the many facets of public health in Missouri. Our thanks to the public health professionals who shared their stories.

Shigella Outbreak

A public health story from...

Independence City Health Department

A shigellosis outbreak requires immediate investigation and intervention.

7 From January 1 through December 5, 2005, there were 117 cases of shigellosis in Independence; the previous three years there had been a total of four. This infectious disease caused by a group of bacteria called Shigella also increased 2000

percent in the Kansas City metropolitan area, from 36 cases in 2004 to 779 cases in 2005.

Most individuals who are infected with Shigella develop diarrhea, fever and stomach cramps, and the bacterium is passed from one infected person to the next. All cases of shigellosis had to be personally interviewed and followed-up, and many cases required additional medical assistance from the health department.

Over 65 percent of these cases attended a school or day care, thus requiring investigation, education and follow-up in the day-care and school setting by communicable disease and environmental staff. Additionally, all cases had to be entered, analyzed and logged into a database by the communicable disease staff and reported to the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services. The total approximate cost for surveillance, investigation, follow-up and transportation related to this outbreak was greater than \$18,000.

More than 500 hours were spent by health promotion, environmental and clerical staff to support the prevention, education, investigation and intervention activities associated with the cases of Shigella. Not only were staff members who routinely focus on disease investigation involved in this

outbreak, staff members in other areas had to be utilized to keep up with the caseload and to keep normal day-to-day activities going.

While some prevention and education activities were general health promotion, such as hand washing and good hygiene information, the majority of these activities were specific to Shigella and the ongoing outbreak. These specific activities included: numerous regional and city meetings regarding the outbreak timeline; recommendations to physicians and school and day-care policies; articles and fact sheets distributed to many groups within the community; interviews and supplemental questionnaires to quantify the outbreak; and on-site visits to child care facilities, schools, etc.

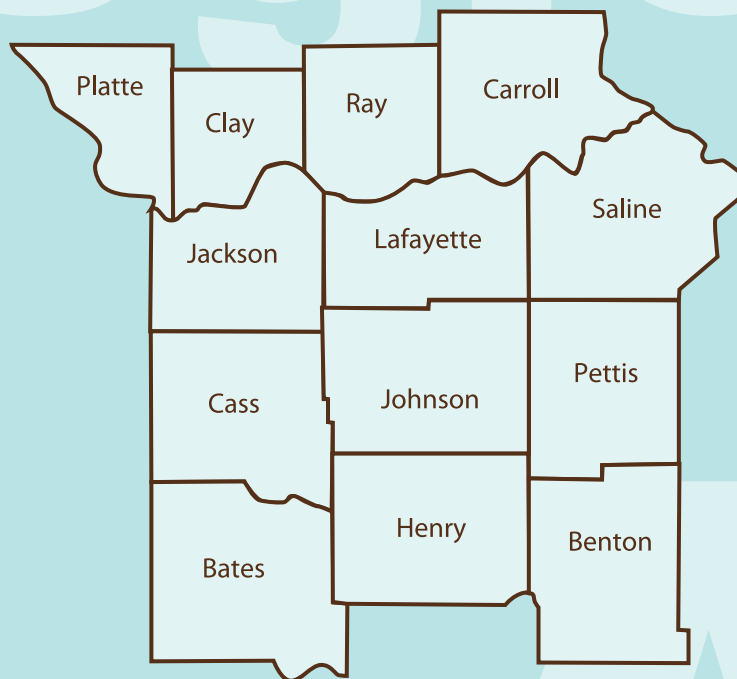
Although staff members had to put aside many other tasks and responsibilities during this outbreak, they remained dedicated to protecting and assisting the community.

*“...many cases required
additional medical
assistance...”*



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Region





County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jody Welston, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **501 N. Orange, P.O. Box 208, Butler, MO 64730**

Phone: **(660) 679-6108**

Population: **16,937**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2122**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Pam Hedger**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$557,520**

Local: **\$400,799**

State: **\$59,102**

Federal: **\$76,234**

Other: **\$21,386**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Ensure health care to the community.

Blood Pressure Checks; Blood Sugar Screening; Certified Birth and Death Certificates; Child Care Nursing Consultation; Cholesterol Screenings; Communicable Disease Control and Investigation; Community Education; Environmental Health; Flu Shot Clinics; Hearing Screenings; Immunizations; Maternal and Child Health; Pregnancy Tests; Safe Sitter Baby Sitting Classes; STD; Strep Tests; TB Testing and Control; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Linda Viebrock, Administrator**

Address: **1220 Commercial, P.O. Box 935, Warsaw, MO 65355**

Phone: **(660) 438-2876**

Population: **18,076** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1758** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Barrell Schulz**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.40**

Total revenue: **\$2,690,786**

Local: **\$855,558** State: **\$63,359** Federal: **\$61,614** Other: **\$1,710,255**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Issues in strategic plan; multiple focus groups (children's issues, lower income population); and elderly.

Assessment and Referral; Bereavement Support Group; Blood Draws; Blood Pressure; Blood Sugar Screening; Case Management (prenatal/child); CHART; Diabetes Support Group; Environmental; Health Education; HIV; Home Health; Hospice; Immunizations; In-Home Services; Prenatal Classes; Private Duty (special needs children); Public Health Home Visits; School Health Contract; STD; TB Wellness Clinic (once a month); WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Patricia McAtee, Administrator**

Address: **5 North Ely, Carrollton, MO 64633**

Phone: **(660) 542-3247**

Population: **10,149**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1711**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Louise Barlow**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$290,588**

Local: **\$172,333**

State: **\$50,679**

Federal: **\$49,617**

Other: **\$17,960**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Provide health promotion, protection, and prevention services to all people of the community by assessing health status and needs, developing policies and priorities, and assuring that the community has the information and resources needed to maximize the health of all individuals.

Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar/Cholesterol Clinics; Childbirth Education Classes; CPR/First Aid Classes; Family Planning through Green Hills F.P.; General Public Home Visits; Health Wellness Presentations; HIV Testing; Immunizations/Flu Shots; Infant Car Seat Program; Lead Screenings; MC+ Applications; Nursing Consultation to Day Care Providers; Pregnancy Testing; School Health Nursing; Temporary Medicaid; Tuberculin Skin Testing; Vital Records (birth and death certificates); WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Harry "Vick" Bland, Administrator**

Address: **300 S. Main, Harrisonville, MO 64701**

Phone: **(816) 380-8425**

Population: **88,716**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2130**

Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Gene Mollendorp**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$827,977**

Local: **\$402,370**

State: **\$108,325**

Federal: **\$310,523**

Other: **\$6,758**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: The health of Cass County residents.

Communicable Disease Control and Reporting; Day Care Inspections; Environmental Services; Health Education; Immunizations; Vital Records; WIC.



County Public Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Gary Zaborac, Director**

Address: **1940 West Kansas Street, Liberty, MO 64068**

Phone: **(816) 781-1600**

Population: **105,937**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:412**

Number of Hospitals: **5**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Patricia Dixon**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$4,729,817**

Local: **\$3,653,690**

State: **\$136,327**

Federal: **\$587,068**

Other: **\$352,733**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Preventing disease, illness, and accident; promoting wellness and providing health services to the community.

Blood Pressure; BT Planning; Community Education; Dental Health; Diabetes Clinic; Environmental Health; Family Planning; Food Service Surveillance; HCY; Health Promotion; Immunizations; Lodging Inspections; Physicals; Primary Care; Private Sewage System Permits; School Screenings; Senior Services; Speech and Hearing Clinics; STD; Swimming Pool/Spa Inspections; TB Clinic.

www.clayhealth.com



County Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Gerald Seeley, Administrator**

Address: **306 S. 2nd, Clinton, MO 64735**

Phone: **(660) 885-8193**

Population: **22,419**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:767**

Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Tim Gabbert, DO**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$588,930**

Local: **\$301,047**

State: **\$89,201**

Federal: **\$147,047**

Other: **\$51,635**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Community health (getting into the community problems); utilizing hepatitis A vaccine for people who put the community at risk (restaurant employees, day care employees, etc.); provide health promotion, health protection, and services, keeping a safe, clean, healthy environment.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure; Blood Sugar; CHART; Child Care Inspections; Cholesterol (local and outreach); Communicable Disease Follow-up; Day Care Consultations; Environmental; Flu Shot Clinics; Food Service Education; Food Service Inspections and Complaint Follow-up; Free Clinic; HCNEI; Immunizations (local and outreach); Lipid Profiles; Pregnancy Test and Prenatal Case Management; School Nursing Consultations; Septic Inspections and Complaint Follow-up; STD; TB Skin Tests; Vital Records; Waste Water Education; Water Testing; WIC (local and outreach).

www.henrycountyhealth.org

Independence City Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Larry D. Jones, MPH, Director**

Address: **223 N. Memorial Drive, Independence, MO 64050**

Phone: **(816) 325-7986**

Population: **112,079**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1648**

Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☐

City council ☒

Chair: **Dr. Howard Braby**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$2,395,294**

Local: **\$1,897,630**

State: **\$109,338**

Federal: **\$285,134**

Other: **\$103,192**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To protect and promote the health of the people of Independence.

Animal Control; Child Care Health and Safety Education; Chronic Disease Prevention Education; Code Enforcement; Communicable Disease Control; Emergency Preparedness; Food Handler/Manager Training; Food Safety and Environmental Protection; High Risk Infant Health; Maternal and Child Health; Mental Health Promotion; Open Airways Asthma Education; West Nile Prevention and Surveillance; Youth Access Tobacco Ordinance and Smoking Cessation Support.

www.ci.independence.mo.us/health



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Paula Livingston, DDS, MPH, Director**

Address: **313 South Liberty, Independence, MO 64050**

Phone: **(816) 404-6415**

Population: **229,901**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:340**

Number of Hospitals: **18**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☐

County council ☒

Truman Medical Center Board; Scott Burnett, County Legislator

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.16**

Total revenue: **\$2,519,577**

Local: **\$1,188,343**

State: **\$204,974**

Federal: **\$1,041,173**

Other: **\$85,088**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Help the community achieve outstanding health and to educate, promote, and protect the well being of the people in the county.

Birth/Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screening; Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program; Childhood Lead Testing; Communicable Disease Follow-up; Family Planning; Free Health Clinic (sponsored by Truman Heartland Foundation); Glucose Testing; Health Education; Hepatitis Vaccinations; HIV Testing and Case Management; Home Visit Programs; Immigration Immunizations; Immunizations; Meningococcal Vaccinations; School-based Health Clinics (1); School Health; Seniors Programs; STD Clinic; TB Case Management; Tuberculin Testing; Vital Records; Walk-in Clinic; Well-Child Clinics; WIC; Women's Health.

Johnson

County Community Health Services

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Judy Floyd, Administrator**

Address: **429 Burkarth, Warrensburg, MO 64093**

Phone: **(660) 747-6121**

Population: **50,262**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1059**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dr. Tom Edmunds**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$1,831,833**

Local: **\$523,969**

State: **\$87,014**

Federal: **\$170,313**

Other: **\$1,050,537**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To improve the health of all residents of Johnson County with the multiple purposes of health guidance, prevention, and control of disease in the homes and establishments of its residents.

Communicable Disease; Environmental; Health Promotion/Disease Prevention Activities; Home Health Hospice; Home Visits; Immunizations; WIC.

www.johnsoncountyhealth.org



Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Rex Archer, MD, MPH, Director**

Address: **2400 Troost, Suite 4000, Kansas City, MO 64108**

Phone: **(816) 513-6008**

Population: **442,768**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:880**

Number of Hospitals: **16**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☐

City council ☒

Wayne Cauthen, City Manager

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.49**

Total revenue: **\$16,663,683**

Local: **\$7,331,573**

State: **\$415,994**

Federal: **\$3,297,009**

Other: **\$5,619,107**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: The mission of the health department is to promote, preserve and protect the health of Kansas Citians and their visitors.

Adult, Child and Travel Immunizations; Air Quality Monitoring and Regulatory Compliance; Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention, Screening, Case Management, Inspection, and Abatement; Communicable Disease Surveillance, Investigation, Prevention and Control; Community Environmental Health including Child Care Facility, Food, Hotel, and Swimming Pool Inspections; Emergency Medical Service Oversight and Licensing; Epidemiology and Community Health Monitoring; Food Handler Permit and Training; Health Alert Network; Health Education and Communication; Public Health Preparedness; Refugee Clinic; Sexually Transmitted Disease Prevention and Treatment; Tobacco Use Prevention and Control; Tuberculosis Prevention and Treatment; Rat Detection and Infestation Control; Vital Records and Statistics.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jill Thompson, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **547 South 13 Hwy., Lexington, MO 64067**

Phone: **(660) 259-4371**

Population: **32,951**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1939**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dave Oetting**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.07**

Total revenue: **\$484,691**

Local: **\$309,172**

State: **\$65,513**

Federal: **\$42,738**

Other: **\$67,267**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Empower individuals to develop safe and healthy lifestyles.

All Environmental Services; Birth/Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screening; Car Seat Program; Child Care Nurse Consultant Activities; Communicable Disease Surveillance/Investigation; HIV Screenings and Counseling; Home Health Skilled Nursing Visits; Immunization Clinics; Lead Education and Screenings; Mom/Baby Home Visits; Pregnancy Testing and Counseling; Referral to Other Agencies; Summer School Safety Program; TB Testing and Follow-up; Temporary Medicaid; Vision and Hearing Screenings; Wellness Screenings; Women's Health; Young Parents Support Group/Mentoring Moms.

<http://lafayette.lphamo.org>



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Diana Stout, Administrator**

Address: **911 East 16th, Sedalia, MO 65301**

Phone: **(660) 827-1130**

Population: **39,344**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:791**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Rob Russell**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$1,315,880**

Local: **\$512,634**

State: **\$125,043**

Federal: **\$545,255**

Other: **\$132,948**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Through the strategic planning process, the focus is on the three core functions of public health - assessment, assurance, and policy development.

Adult Immunizations (tetanus, flu, pneumonia, hepatitis A and B); Bioterrorism Planning; Blood Pressure Screening; Child Care Consultation Services; Child Health Team; Child/Adolescent/Adult Physicals; Communicable Disease Follow-up; Emergency Response Planning; Environmental Lead Assessment; HIV Testing, Education, and Case Management; Immunizations; Lead Screening; Medical Clinic; Pregnancy Tests; Prenatal Case Management; School Health; STD; TB Control; Temporary Medicaid Cards; WIC; Wellness Screens (anemia, glucose, cholesterol, liver profile, and PSA); Women's Health (Family Planning and Show-Me Women).

<http://pettis.lphamo.org>



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Mary Jo Everhart, R.N., BSN, Director**

Address: **212 Marshall Road, Platte City, MO 64079**

Phone: **(816) 858-2412**

Population: **42,793**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:681**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Kent Jackson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$1,799,004**

Local: **\$1,300,933**

State: **\$115,623**

Federal: **\$329,234**

Other: **\$53,215**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Improvement and protection of the health of all inhabitants of the county.

Collaborative Services: Mental Health; Prescription Assistance; Emergency Dental Services. **Communicable Disease Control and Investigation.**

Community & School Health Education: Classroom Health Presentations; Healthy Kids Challenge; CPR Certification Training and Education; Community Group Presentations; Cardiovascular and Stroke Community Education; Nursing Consultation to Day Care Providers; Abstinence Only Classes; "Maturity Matters" – Parent-Child Sex Ed Classes. **Emergency Response:** Prepares, Plans, and Responds for Public Health Emergencies.

Environmental Health Services: Permits for and Inspections of Private Sewage Disposal Systems and Food Establishments; Inspection of School Cafeterias, Child Care Centers and Lodging Establishments; Food Safety Classes; Surveillance of Private Water Supplies; Disaster and Accident Information Services Related to Food and Water; Rabies Surveillance. **Family Planning Services:** Contraceptives Counseling; Well Woman Exams.

Health Screenings: Blood Pressure; Confidential Pregnancy Testing; Blood Sugar and Hemoglobin Screenings; STD/HIV-AIDS Testing; Lead Screening for Children 6 Months to 6 Years; Head Lice Checks; Metabolic Newborn Screenings; Infant Car Seat Program; Temporary Medicaid.

Notary Services: At the Platte City Location Only, No Fee. **Official Registrar Services:** Birth and Death Certificates. **Pre-Natal Care:** Provided for Medicaid Eligible Women. **"Safe Start" Program:** Home Visits, Assessments, Referrals, and Education for Mothers and their Babies. **"Special Deliveries" Program:** Home Visits, Child Care Centers Assessments, Referrals and Education for Mothers and their Babies. **Walk-In Clinic:** Infant, Toddler, Pre-School and School Immunizations; Adult Hepatitis A and B; Adult Tetanus and Tuberculosis Skin Tests; Adult and International Travel Vaccinations; Flu and Pneumonia Vaccine. **WIC Program:** Quality Nutrition Education; Breastfeeding Promotion and Education; Electric and Manual Breast Pumps Available for Mothers; Monthly Food Prescription Package Including Nutritious Supplemental Foods; Referrals to Maternal, Pre-natal and Pediatric Health Care Services.

www.plattecountyhealthdept.com



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Stacey Cox, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **820 E. Lexington Street, Richmond, MO 64085**

Phone: **(816) 776-5413**

Population: **23,926**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1984**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Alice Neely**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$499,701**

Local: **\$315,724**

State: **\$66,852**

Federal: **\$81,383**

Other: **\$35,742**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Health Promotion.

Environmental; Family Planning; Health Education; Health Screenings; Immunizations; Lead Screening; TB Testing; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Gayle Thomas, Administrator**

Address: **868 South Brunswick, Marshall, MO 65340**

Phone: **(660) 886-3434**

Population: **22,887**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:959**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dr. Stephen Allegri**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.14**

Total revenue: **\$244,550**

Local: **\$91,130**

State: **\$60,858**

Federal: **\$87,394**

Other: **\$5,168**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: CDs; Family Planning Clinics; Smoking Cessation Clinics; STDs; WIC; Environmental; and Immunizations.

Immunizations; Pregnancy Testing; Public Health Education and Referrals; Smoking Cessation Classes (weekly, free); STD and CD; TB Skin Test; Temporary Medicaid.



Public Health in Action

Working Together

A public health story from...

Randolph County Health Department

Two staff members rely on education, training and hard work during an ice storm emergency.

A major winter ice storm caused widespread damage to northwestern and north central Missouri in January 2002. Randolph, Macon and Adair counties, along with many others, had significant ice accumulation on trees and power lines that caused several

electrical power outages impacting large segments of the population.

Randolph County power outages lasted a few days and caused many cold storage units in restaurants, meat markets, day care facilities, schools and grocery stores to not maintain proper holding temperatures for food. Many foods thawed out or were above 40 degrees Fahrenheit for several hours if not several days.

The Randolph County Health Department's two environmental health staff members immediately went to work with the various food establishments in the county to make decisions on what could be salvaged or what needed to be discarded. Businesses had to work with the health department on making the right decisions, due to low staffing.

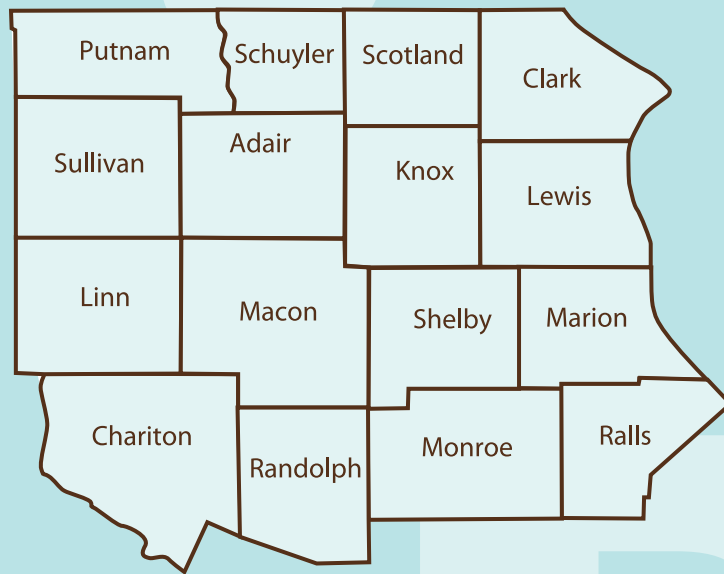
Although the health department had only two environmental health staff members, employee and community teamwork helped to resolve the issue with no major food poisoning outbreaks in the county. Since no one can predict the next emergency, health department staffing levels and back-up assistance are crucial to the infrastructure of public health.

*“...members
immediately went
to work...”*



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C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Claudine Frazier, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **1001 South Jamison, Kirksville, MO 63501**

Phone: **(660) 665-8491**

Population: **24,790** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:196** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Vern Playle**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.20**

Total revenue: **\$1,332,938**

Local: **\$530,625** State: **\$69,693** Federal: **\$206,533** Other: **\$526,088**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Home Health/Public Health; Prevention - keeping people well; Board, Administrator, and staff concerned with Home Health and Services.

Birth and Death Certificates; Home Health (Skilled Nursing, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy); Injections of B-12 and others as ordered by Physicians; Pregnancy Testing; Public Health Education and Referrals; School Health Nurse Services; Sports Physicals; STD and Family Planning Clinics; TB Skin Tests; Temp Medicaid.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Sandra Clarkson, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **206 State Street, P.O. Box 214, Keytesville, MO 65261**

Phone: **(660) 288-3675**

Population: **8,251** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2732** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Deloris Rodgers**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$302,045**

Local: **\$168,208** State: **\$78,703** Federal: **\$41,316** Other: **\$13,818**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Population-based public health services for all ages.

Comprehensive School Health Services; Environmental Program; General Office Services; Health Education; Immunization Clinics; Newborn Home Visits; WIC; Women's Health Clinic.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Janet Ramsey, Administrator**

Address: **670 North Johnson, P.O. Box 12, Kahoka, MO 63445**

Phone: **(660) 727-2356**

Population: **7,420** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1858** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Keith Zinnert**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$564,053**

Local: **\$99,685** State: **\$51,313** Federal: **\$50,066** Other: **\$362,989**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Prevention of disease and assurance of quality health care for all citizens of Clark County, Missouri.

Communicable Disease Control; Environmental Health Service; General Education; Home Health; Immunizations; Newborn Visits; Office Visits; School Health; STD Testing; TB Testing; Women's Wellness Clinics; WIC.



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Carol White, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **217 North First, Edina, MO 63537**

Phone: **(660) 397-3396**

Population: **4,311** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1428** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Margaret Parrish**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$486,911**

Local: **\$74,831**

State: **\$49,097**

Federal: **\$40,113**

Other: **\$322,870**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Promote wellness and healthy lifestyles in the community.

Birth and Death Certificates Issued; Childcare Nurse Consultation Services; Communicable Disease Surveillance/Investigation; Environmental Services (Restaurant Inspections); Health Education; Home Health Services (nursing, aide, physical, occupational and speech therapy); Immunizations for Children and Adults; In-Home Services; Lead Testing for Children; Newborn and Infant Visits (Baby Bright); Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; Public Health Clinics and Home Visits; TB Screening/Treatment; WIC; Women's Clinic.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Diane Lay, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **101 State Hwy A, P.O. Box 96, Monticello, MO 63457**

Phone: **(573) 767-5312**

Population: **10,226** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1731** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Beth Kenney**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$778,822**

Local: **\$154,073** State: **\$57,702** Federal: **\$66,571** Other: **\$500,476**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Promote wellness and healthy lifestyles in the community. Prevention of injury and disease.

Birth and Death Certificates Issued; Blood Pressure Clinic; CPR and First Aid Classes; Environmental Services; Family Planning/Women's Wellness; General MCH Consultation; Health Education; Home Health/Public Health Home Visits; Immunizations; Lead Testing; Pregnancy Tests; Prenatal Case Management; Public Health Office Visits; TB Testing; Prenatal Clinics; STD/HIV Testing/Treatment/Referral; WIC.



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Gary Routledge, Administrator**

Address: **635 South Main, P.O. Box 280, Brookfield, MO 64628**

Phone: **(660) 258-7251**

Population: **13,460** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1229** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Pat Gooch**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.20**

Total revenue: **\$608,078**

Local: **\$369,586** State: **\$79,242** Federal: **\$92,095** Other: **\$167,154**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Injury and disease prevention through education and services.

Child Health Conferences; Environmental Services; General Health Clinics; Health Education; Immunizations; TB Testing; Pregnancy Testing; General MCH Consult; Prenatal Case Management; Public Health and Medicare Reimbursed Visits; School Health Nurse Services; STD/HIV Testing/Treatment; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Judy Rushton, Administrator**

Address: **503 North Missouri, Macon, MO 63552**

Phone: **(660) 385-4711**

Population: **15,577** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1192** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Martha McDowell**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$437,004**

Local: **\$308,120** State: **\$56,828** Federal: **\$71,760** Other: **\$296**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Disease prevention/Health promotion through education and services.

Birth/Death Certificates; Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar/Cholesterol/Triglyceride Screenings; Child Lead Testing and Case Management; Childcare Provider Health and Safety Education; Environmental Services; Immunizations/TB Tests; Pregnancy Testing and Referral; Prenatal Case Management; STD/HIV Testing/Treatment/Referral; School Health Services; TB Testing/Case Management/Treatment; Wellness Promotion/Disease Prevention/Health Education; WIC; Women's Health Clinic.



County Health Department and Home Health Agency

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Joan Hynek, Administrator**

Address: **3105 Route W, P.O. Box 1378, Hannibal, MO 63401**

Phone: **(573) 221-1166**

Population: **28,289**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:453**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Jeffrey Curl**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$1,546,147**

Local: **\$560,871**

State: **\$125,971**

Federal: **\$268,600**

Other: **\$590,706**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Childhood Obesity. To meet the health concerns of the residents of Marion County.

Communicable Disease Investigation; Dental Clinic; Environmental Services; Home Health Care Services; Immunization/TB Testing; New Mother/Infant Visits; School Health Services; STD/HIV Testing and Case Management; Temp Medicaid; Vision and Hearing Screening; Vital Records; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Barbara Landrum, Administrator**

Address: **310 North Market, Paris, MO 65275**

Phone: **(660) 327-4653**

Population: **9,396** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1323** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Pam Reinhard**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$616,644**

Local: **\$196,797** State: **\$62,752** Federal: **\$47,603** Other: **\$309,493**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Assuring that the citizens of the county have the opportunity to receive the highest quality of health care through the development of programs that focus on its citizens' needs.

Communicable Disease; Daycare Nurse Consult; Environmental Health; Family Planning/BCCCP; Health Education; Home Health; Immunization/TB; Lead Prevention; Maternal Child Health; PAT; Public Health Home Visits/Clinics; School Health; STD/HIV; Vital Records; WIC.

www2.parismo.net/health_dept.htm



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County and Health Department Information

Title: **Beverly Staggs, Administrator**

Address: **1613 Grant, P.O. Box 354, Unionville, MO 63565**

Phone: **(660) 947-2429**

Population: **5,148** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1042** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Jean Grogan**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.30**

Total revenue: **\$325,757**

Local: **\$172,363** State: **\$58,506** Federal: **\$37,763** Other: **\$57,125**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Core Public Health.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screening; Cancer Screenings and Education; Child Safety Seat Inspections; Cholesterol Screening; Communicable Disease Surveillance/Investigation; Diabetes Screening; Environmental Services; Health Education and Services to Day Cares; Home Health and Public Health Visits; Immunization (children and adult); Lead Testing for Children; Maternal and Child Health; Pregnancy Testing; School and Community Health Programs; TB Screening/Treatment; Well Baby/Child Clinic; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Betty Anderson, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **405 West First, P.O. Box 434, New London, MO 63549**

Phone: **(573) 985-7121**

Population: **9,653** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:9584** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Eddie Joe Hamil**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$759,525**

Local: **\$181,044** State: **\$102,116** Federal: **\$94,369** Other: **\$381,996**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Developing a financial strategy to survive and to meet the needs of the county. Achieve quality of life in Ralls County by valuing health and safety.

Blood Pressure Clinics; CD Prevention and Control; Day Care Consultation and Inspection; Dental Health and Case Management Services; Dissemination of Health Status Data; Environmental Services; Family Planning/Health Dimensions; Health and Nutrition Counseling; Health Pro/Ed; High Risk/Maternity and Child Care; Home Health; Homemaker; Immunization/TB Testing; Lead Screening; MC+; PACE Classes; Parenting Classes; Pregnancy Test; School Health Consultant; STD (through FP); Temp Medicaid; WIC; Worksite Wellness Education.

Randolph

County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Ross McKinstry, Administrator**

Address: **423 East Logan, P.O. Box 488, Moberly, MO 65270**

Phone: **(660) 263-6643**

Population: **25,045** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:706** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Velda Davidson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$2,784,421**

Local: **\$629,584** State: **\$100,491** Federal: **\$298,542** Other: **\$1,755,803**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Improve the health of Randolph County citizens.

Baby Boost; CD Surveillance/Investigation; Environmental Health; Family Planning; Health Education; Home Health Visits; Immunization/TB; MCH/Public Health Home Visits; Prenatal Clinic; Primary Care Clinic; School Health; STD/HIV; Vital Records; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Janice Shaw, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **275 South Green, P.O. Box 387, Lancaster, MO 63548**

Phone: **(660) 457-3721**

Population: **4,209** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1053** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **Georgia Ann Robinson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.18**

Total revenue: **\$531,726**

Local: **\$72,134** State: **\$56,309** Federal: **\$37,288** Other: **\$365,996**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public's perception is that health department is a visiting nurse program for poor people. Wants to be known for public health activities.

Immunization and Flu Clinics; Cholesterol and Blood Pressure Screenings.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Margaret Curry, Administrator**

Address: **Route 1, Box 55A, Memphis, MO 63555**

Phone: **(660) 465-7275**

Population: **4,905** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1217** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Terry Simerl**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$400,794**

Local: **\$94,047**

State: **\$57,238**

Federal: **\$34,454**

Other: **\$215,055**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Promote healthy lifestyles.

Case Management; Child Screening Clinics; Communicable Disease; Environmental Health; General Public Health Clinics; Health Education; Immunization/TB; Lead Screening; Pregnancy Tests; Public/Home Health Visits; STD/HIV; Vital Records; Well Women's Clinic; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Audrey Gough, R.N., BSN, Administrator**

Address: **700 East Main, P.O. Box 240, Shelbyville, MO 63469**

Phone: **(573) 633-2353**

Population: **6,702** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:3341** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **David Werr**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.25**

Total revenue: **\$499,615**

Local: **\$196,899** State: **\$58,243** Federal: **\$47,843** Other: **\$196,629**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: **Prevention.**

Blood Pressure Clinic; Cancer Support Group; Communicable Disease; Education; Environmental Programs; Expectant Parent Classes; Home Health Services; Immunization Clinic; Info and Referral; Newborn Home Visits; Office Visits; Public Health Services; Vital Records; WIC; Women's Health Clinic.

www.shelbycountyhealth.org



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Connie Michael, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **#1 Hawthorne Drive, P.O. Box 129, Milan, MO 63556**

Phone: **(660) 265-4141**

Population: **7,080** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1829** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dr. Dale Essmyer**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.25**

Total revenue: **\$459,041**

Local: **\$185,340** State: **\$57,373** Federal: **\$47,236** Other: **\$169,092**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: **Prevention.**

CHC; Environmental services; General PH Clinics; Health Education; Immunizations/TB Testing; Language Services; Medicare and Public Health Reimbursed Home Visits; Newborn Visits; Pregnancy Testing and General MCH Consultation; Prenatal and Breast Feeding Classes; Prenatal Case Management; STD/HIV; WIC.

Public Health in Action

Nutrition Rocks!

A public health story from...

St. Charles County Department of Community Health and the Environment

Two new student programs are battling childhood obesity.

*W*hen the people of St. Charles were asked what health care issue they thought was a serious problem for their community, childhood obesity ranked number one. Forty-nine percent of 21,628 people who completed the St. Charles Community Assessment

believed childhood obesity to be more serious than smoking and cancer combined, with 25 and 17 percent, respectively.

The St. Charles Department of Community Health and the Environment believes preventive education can battle this rising epidemic.

"If we can reach and teach students at an early age, hopefully we will avoid the start of lifelong habits that lead to the unhealthy lifestyle we often struggle with as adults," said Marianne Adolf, RNC, MSN, WHNP, program supervisor.

The department has implemented two programs, Funtastic Nutrition and SNEAKERS, created by BJC Healthcare's School Outreach and Youth Development Department in St. Louis. Both evidence-based programs meet the Missouri Show-Me Standards and the Missouri Assessment Program Skills for Missouri Elementary Education, which make them attractive additions to classroom learning.

Funtastic Nutrition, designed for students in grades three and four, consists of six weekly lessons that cover the new Food Guide Pyramid, digestive system, circulatory system, calcium and bone health, food choices impacting heart health, food product nutrition labels and healthy kid-style snacks.

The companion program, SNEAKERS (Sensible, Nutritious, Eating and Kids Exercising Regularly, Successfully) is usually taught the school year following Funtastic Nutrition. SNEAKERS is a four-week program with lessons on muscles used in exercise, the skeletal system, how exercise impacts the respiratory system and how regular exercise improves heart health. Each lesson is accompanied by worksheets, demonstrations, experiments, hands-on activities, role playing and music.

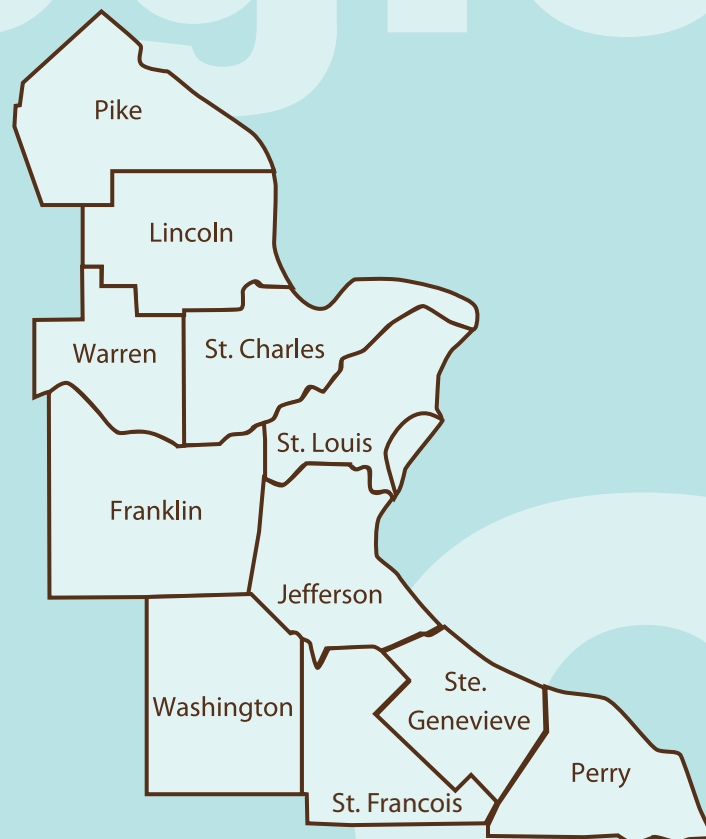
More than 1000 students in St. Charles County schools have received these classes during the past year, and many more classes are scheduled in the months to come. Pre- and post-test results, included in each course, show a 28 to 52 percent overall increase in knowledge. Student evaluation comments include: "I can't wait to teach this to my family."; "No more 'couch potato' for me."; "We need more classes like this."; "I'm taking care of my heart from now on."; "Please come back next year."; and "Nutrition rocks!"

*"No more 'couch
potato' for me."*



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County and Health Department Information

Title: **Conn Roden, Administrator**

Address: **15 South Oak, Union, MO 63084**

Phone: **(636) 583-7300**

Population: **96,905**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:813**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Ed Hillhouse**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$687,391**

Local: **\$199,757**

State: **\$117,979**

Federal: **\$363,274**

Other: **\$6,382**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Immunizations; WIC; vital statistics; environmental health, public information and education, and other issues as they arise.

Child Care Sanitation Inspection; Environmental; GPH/CPH; Immunizations; MCH; STD Treatment/Screening; WIC.

www.franklinmo.org



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Dennis Diehl, Director**

Address: **405 Main Street, P.O. Box 437, Hillsboro, MO 63050**

Phone: **(636) 789-3372**

Population: **206,786** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2082** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Paul Wieland**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$.08**

Total revenue: **\$3,460,206**

Local: **\$2,365,097** State: **\$321,258** Federal: **\$449,649** Other: **\$324,201**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Assure availability of services. Plug gaps. Due to lack of providers, Jefferson County Health Department operates a large family planning clinic.

Family Planning; Immunizations, STD.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Harriet Zuroweste, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **#5 Health Department Drive, Troy, MO 63379**

Phone: **(636) 528-6117**

Population: **44,207** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2643** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **James D. Burlison**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.20**

Total revenue: **\$1,425,338**

Local: **\$1,049,573** State: **\$58,684** Federal: **\$180,800** Other: **\$136,281**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public Health/Core Functions for Lincoln County.

C.D. Investigation; Community Education; Dental Clinic (3 to 18 years old only); Environmental Services; Family Planning; Immunizations; Public Health/Home Visits; WIC.

www.lchdmo.org



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Judy Laurentius, Administrator**

Address: **406 N. Spring, Suite #1, Perryville, MO 63775**

Phone: **(573) 547-6564**

Population: **18,225** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1305** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **George Thurm**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.18**

Total revenue: **\$758,438**

Local: **\$481,354** State: **\$131,883** Federal: **\$91,177** Other: **\$54,024**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Individual Personal Services. LPHA involved in assessment activities to include emergency response planning.

Child Care Nurse Consultation; Chronic Disease (screening, monitoring, and maintenance); Communicable Disease; Flu Vaccine (purchase and administer to business and high risk on-site); Health Education; Home Visiting (nursing and personal care); Immunizations; Lead Screening and Case Management; MC+; Pregnancy Testing; Preschool Speech Therapy; School Health Services; STD Screening and Treatment; TEMP; WIC; Head Injury Case Management Service Area Includes: Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Dunklin, Iron, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Oregon, Pemiscot, Perry, Reynolds, Ripley, St. Francois, Ste. Genevieve, Scott, Shannon, Stoddard, and Wayne.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **LuAnn Meyer, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **5 East Church St., Bowling Green, MO 63334**

Phone: **(573) 324-6373**

Population: **18,519** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1226** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Ross McKinstry**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.16**

Total revenue: **\$1,982,882**

Local: **\$631,847** State: **\$52,068** Federal: **\$80,571** Other: **\$1,218,396**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Prevention/Promotion of health issues; Chronic Disease; Safety; Injury Prevention; Smoking Cessation; Preventable hospitalizations (all ages-multiple causes); Smoking & tobacco related issues (asthma hospitalizations for children), COPD, etc., Unintentional injuries (specifically motor vehicle accidents).

Blood Pressure; Blood Sugar and Cholesterol Screenings; Bioterrorism Planning; Child Care Nurse Consultation; Chronic Disease Self-Management Program; Communicable Disease Surveillance/Investigation; Environmental Health; Health Education; Home Health Visits; Hospice; Immunizations/TB Testing; In-Home Services; Lead Case Management; Lead Testing; Maternal and Child Health; PKU Screening; Prenatal Case Management; Public Health Home Visits; School Health; STD/HIV; Temporary Medicaid; Vital Records; WIC Nutrition Program.



County Department of
Community Health and
the Environment

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Gil Copley, Director**

Address: **1650 Boone's Lick Rd., St. Charles, MO 63301**

Phone: **(636) 949-7400**

Population: **311,531** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:849** Number of Hospitals: **5**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☐ County council ☒

Presiding county commissioner: **Joe Ortwerth**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$5,744,447**

Local: **\$3,987,119** State: **\$130,171** Federal: **\$597,207** Other: **\$1,029,950**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Prevention of illness, injury, and death through full implementation of the core public health functions of Assessment, Policy Development and Assurance.

Animal Control and Adoption; Breastfeeding Peer Counseling; Communicable Disease Investigation; Consultation on Swimming Pools and Spas; Daycare Inspection and Consultation; Environmental Education; Environmental Quality Consultation; Food Service Inspection and Licensing; Health Information and Education; HIV Screening; Immunizations; Lead Inspection; Mosquito Control; Private Water Supply Testing and Consultation; Recycling Center; STD Services; TB Testing and Follow-up; Vital Records; Waste Hauler Inspection and Licensing; WIC.

www.scchealth.org

St. Francois County Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Diane Williams, R.N., Director**

Address: **1025 W. Main, P.O. Box Q, Park Hills, MO 63601**

Phone: **(573) 431-1947**

Population: **57,929** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:579** Number of Hospitals: **4**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Nancy Bullis**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$1,248,918**

Local: **\$524,756** State: **\$94,095** Federal: **\$477,108** Other: **\$152,959**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Environmentally safe environment; communicable disease investigation and control; chronic disease screening, referral, and education; and individual/client oriented-transition. LPHA will accept Medicaid whenever possible to assure needs are met.

Adult immunizations (targeting high risk and those traveling out of the county); BCCCP; Breast Feeding Peer Counseling; Breast and Cervical Cancer Prevention; Child Care Nurse Consultation; Communicable Disease Control; CPR Training; Environmental Health; Emergency Planning; Family Planning; Health Education; HIV Screening and Care Coordination; Immunizations; Lead Screening; MC+ Application and Outreach; Prenatal Case Management; School Health Consultation; Show Me Healthy Women; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); Tuberculosis Testing and Follow-up; Vital Records; WIC.



City Department of Health and Hospitals

City and Health Department Information

Title: **William Kincaid, M.D., M.P.H., Director**

Address: **634 Grand, P.O. Box 14702, St. Louis, MO 63178**

Phone: **(314) 612-5100**

Population: **332,223** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:198** Number of Hospitals: **13**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☐ City council ☒

Aldermanic Council Chair: **Gregory Carter**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.02**

Total revenue: **\$22,705,924**

Local: **\$13,082,769** State: **\$418,778** Federal: **\$8,898,976** Other: **\$305,402**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Five Core Public Health Functions as follows:

Communicable Disease Prevention: Prevents the spread of all communicable diseases including influenza, TB, Sexually Transmitted Diseases and HIV; Conducts disease surveillance and outbreak investigations; Administers the Ryan White Title I AIDS Services Grant; and Oversees HIV/AIDS counseling the testing efforts. **Environmental Health Services:** Air Pollution Control; Animal Regulation; Child Care Safety and Licensure; Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (screening, case management and educational outreach); Community Sanitation; Food and Beverage Control; and Vector Control. **Health Promotion Disease Prevention:** Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Project; Chronic Disease; Maternal Child Health; Nutrition and Obesity Initiative and School Health Services. **Public Health Infrastructure and Systems:** Computer Training Lab; Data Analysis; Database Development; Epidemiology; GIS Mapping; Maintain Health Alert Network; Primary and Secondary Data; Research; Satellite Broadcasts; and Web Site Development. **The Office of Emergency Response and Terrorism:** Prepares plans; Conducts exercises; and Trains staff for the public health response to all public health emergencies (natural, accidental, or intentional).



C o u n t y D e p a r t m e n t o f H e a l t h

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Dolores Gunn, M.D., Director**

Address: **111 South Meramec, Clayton, MO 63105**

Phone: **(314) 615-1600**

Population: **1,013,123** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:238** Number of Hospitals: **13**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☐

County council ☒

Chair: **Robert Dorton, M.D.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.17**

Total revenue: **\$49,139,289**

Local: **\$39,687,359** State: **\$586,067** Federal: **\$2,661,611** Other: **\$6,204,252**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Core Public Health.

Adult Medical Services; AIDS/HIV Testing and Counseling; Air Pollution; Animal Control; Car Seat/Crib/Helmet Program; Communicable Disease Control; Corrections Medicine; Dairy Control; Dental; Environmental Laboratory; Family Mental Health Referral; Family Planning Services (including infertility counseling); Health Data; Health Education; Industrial Hygiene Consultation; Lead Poisoning Prevention; Medical Examiner's Office; Medical Laboratories; Neighborhood Preservation--Housing Inspections; Nuisance Abatement Program; Older Adult Services; Perinatal, Well Baby Services; Pediatric Health; Pharmacy; Public Health Nursing; Public Health Sanitation; Refugee Outreach and Translation; School-Based Immunization; STD Services (including testing and counseling); Teen Services; Travel Immunizations; Tuberculosis Prevention and Treatment (including DOT); Vector Control; Vital Records; Walk-in Immunizations; Waste Management.

www.stlouisco.com/doh

Ste. Genevieve County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Judy Schilly, Administrator**

Address: **115 Basler Drive, P.O. Box 49, Ste. Genevieve, MO 63670**

Phone: **(573) 883-7411**

Population: **18,094** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1132** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Alvin Donze, Jr.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$478,076**

Local: **\$306,579** State: **\$83,741** Federal: **\$53,783** Other: **\$33,972**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Communicable disease control and environmental. Beginning to steer away from patient care and looking toward core functions.

Child Care Health and Safety Consultation; Child Care Inspection; Chronic Disease Screening and Monitoring; Communicable Disease Services; Comprehensive School Health services in Parochial Schools; Environmental Health Services; Head Lice Screening (all schools); Health Education (nurses provided); HIV/AIDS Counseling and Testing; Immunizations; Lead Environmental Assessment; Lead Screening and Case Management; Maternal and Child Health; Medicaid Case Management; On-site Sewage; Pregnancy Counseling/Testing; Prenatal Case Management; School Abstinence Education; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); Vital Records; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Shawn Kelsch, Administrator**

Address: **104 W. Booneslick, Suite H, Warrenton, MO 63383**

Phone: **(636) 456-7474**

Population: **26,862** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:3742** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Fred G. Vahle**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$225,749**

Local: **\$156,509** State: **\$60,898** Federal: **\$7,255** Other: **\$1,088**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public health, communicable disease, health education, emergency preparedness, and partnering with community groups.

Blood Pressure Clinics; CD Surveillance/Investigation; Environmental Health Services; Flu Shot Clinics; Health Education; HIV Testing (STDs referred to NECAC); Immunizations; Public Health Services; TB Testing/Follow-up; Vital Records.

<http://warren.lphamo.org>

Washington County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Judith Wright, R.N., BSN, Administrator**

Address: **520 Purcell Dr., Potosi, MO 63664**

Phone: **(573) 438-2164**

Population: **23,844** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2594** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Doris Coffman**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$581,423**

Local: **\$314,856** State: **\$75,186** Federal: **\$142,042** Other: **\$49,339**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To use the essential public health services to monitor and improve the health status of the residents of Washington County.

Adult Immunizations; Blood Pressures; Blood Sugar Screening; Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program; Cholesterol Screening; Communicable Disease Control; Day Care Inspections; Emergency Planning and Preparedness; Environmental Health; Immunizations; Lead Testing and Follow-up; MC+ Application and Outreach; Mosquito Control; Prenatal; School Health Consultation; STD Screening and Treatment; Vital Records; WIC.

Public Health in Action

Cancer in Remission

A public health story from...

The Dallas County Health Department

A Show Me Healthy Women cancer screening saves a Dallas County woman's life.



For more than 13 years, the statewide Show Me Healthy Women program has provided free breast and cervical cancer screenings to over 66,000 medically underserved low income Missouri women.

A little over five years ago, while working full-time, Norma L. Faulkner, 40, of Dallas County was diagnosed with Stage III breast cancer. The following is Norma's story:

"It really didn't bother me that I didn't have health insurance. I felt healthier than most people I knew. So, imagine my surprise when I discovered a mass in my left breast. I wondered what I should do. I didn't have insurance. I didn't even have a primary care physician. But I was aware that the Dallas County Health Department offered breast exams and pap tests. So I made an appointment, and they told me about the Show Me Healthy Women program coordinated through the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services.

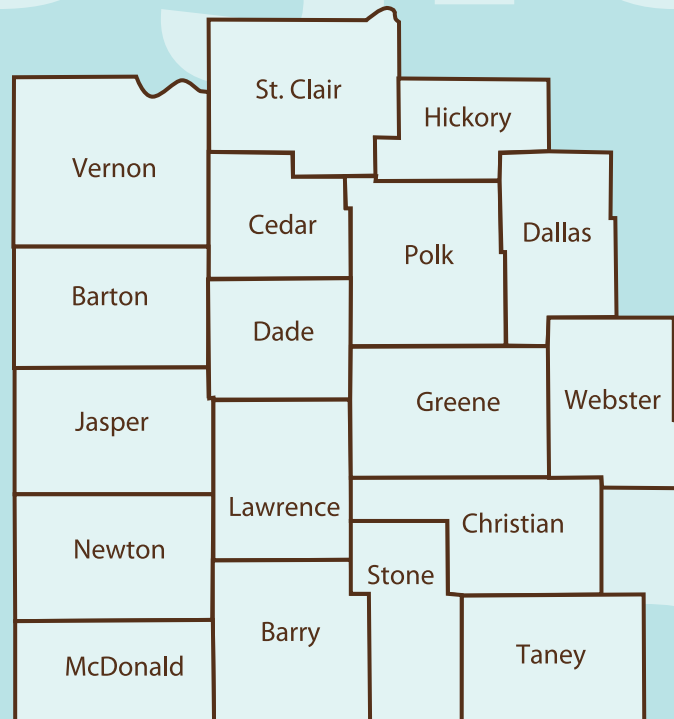
They told me I could get pelvic exams, clinical breast exams and mammograms at no cost to me, because I met certain age and income guidelines. Because of the Show Me Healthy Women program and all the caring and dedicated people who work at the health department, I was able to get a clinical breast exam, a mammogram and an appointment with a surgeon who recommended a surgical biopsy, which led to my diagnosis of breast cancer. I am alive and in remission now, thanks to the Show Me Healthy Women program. Thank goodness for this wonderful program. It saved my life."

"I felt healthier than most people I knew..."

Providers in the Show Me Healthy Women program offer life-saving screening services including clinical breast examinations (CBE), breast self-examination (BSE) instruction, mammograms and pelvic exam/pap tests. If no other funding source is available, women are eligible for diagnostic services if their initial cancer screening was abnormal and was provided by one of the 95 participating health care providers in Missouri.



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County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Kathleen King, Administrator**

Address: **65 Main, P.O. Box 207, Cassville, MO 65625**

Phone: **(417) 847-2114**

Population: **34,629** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1046** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **John Starchman**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.07**

Total revenue: **\$657,889**

Local: **\$352,242** State: **\$59,229** Federal: **\$198,268** Other: **\$48,151**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To assure that all residents of Barry County have the information and access to care that will provide them a healthy life.

B-12 Shots; BCCCP; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure/Sugar Screening/Cholesterol; Child Care Education and Inspection; Child Care Nurse Consultant; Communicable Disease Education Investigation and Follow-up; Community: Education/Consultation on Public Health Issues, Workshops, and Speakers; Family Planning; Food: Facility License/Inspection/Education/Consultation/Emergency Response; HIV/AIDS; Immunizations; MC+ Enrollment; Pregnancy Testing/Consultation; Prenatal (Case Management); Rabies Control; Schools: Education/Consultation on Public Health Issues/Collaboration on Curriculum; STD; Stream Quality; Spanish/English Interpretation and Translation; TB Testing and Follow-up; Waste Water: Permits and Inspection/Education/Consultation; Water: Sampling and Testing/Education/Courier Public Samples to Health Lab; WIC.

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Linda Talbott, Administrator**

Address: **1301 E. 12th Street, Lamar, MO 64759**

Phone: **(417) 682-3363**

Population: **12,999** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1286** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Doris Kelsey**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.12**

Total revenue: **\$885,744**

Local: **\$192,232** State: **\$43,104** Federal: **\$77,432** Other: **\$572,977**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: The health and well-being of the community.

Blood Pressure Screening; Blood Sugar Screening; Case Management; Community Education; Diabetes Education Program; Family Planning; Flu Clinics; Food Service Inspections; Health Risk Appraisals; Home Health/Homemaker Services; Immunizations; Lead Screenings; On-Site Sewage Inspections; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Classes; Show Me Healthy Women; TB Testing; Vital Records; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jackie Boyles, Administrator**

Address: **1401 South Park St., El Dorado Springs, MO 64744**

Phone: **(417) 876-2511**

Population: **13,838** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1152** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☒ City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Kenneth Whitesell, Jr.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$222,134**

Local: **\$41,332** State: **\$51,524** Federal: **\$93,973** Other: **\$35,305**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Outreach to community of services offered.

Allergy Shots Given with Physician Orders; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Checks; Blood Sugar Screenings; Case Management; Child Care Nursing Consultations; Cholesterol Screenings; Communicable Disease Follow-up; Educational Brochures; Family Planning; Flu Clinics; Immunizations (all ages); Lead Levels; Maternal and Child Health; OB Home Visits; Part-Time Sanitarian; Pregnancy Testing; Show Me Healthy Women; STD/HIV Testing; Strep Screens; Temp Applications for Pregnant Women; Tuberculosis Screening and Treatment; Vision and Hearing Screens; WIC.

Christian

C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Karen Potter, R.N.C., Administrator**

Address: **301 Brick Street, P.O. Box 340, Ozark, MO 65721**

Phone: **(417) 581-7285**

Population: **61,566** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2039** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Bill Bell**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.05**

Total revenue: **\$734,255**

Local: **\$450,401** State: **\$60,838** Federal: **\$171,452** Other: **\$51,564**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Serves and protects the county by promoting healthy behaviors, increasing understanding of health issues, and improving the quality of the environment.

CHC; Family Planning; Food Handlers Inspection; Immunizations; Nutrition Education; Public Health Home Visits; STD; Vital Records; Waste Water; Well Testing; WIC.

www.christiancountyhealth.com



C O U N T Y H E A L T H D E P A R T M E N T

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Sandy Tullock, Administrator**

Address: **413 W. Water Street, Greenfield, MO 65661**

Phone: **(417) 637-2345**

Population: **7,845** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1969** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Morris Bird**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$367,378**

Local: **\$110,663** State: **\$83,556** Federal: **\$147,258** Other: **\$25,901**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Health education; health and environmental awareness; and identify public health needs.

Bike Helmet/Bike Safety Education; Blood Pressure Screening; Child Seat Education; Childbirth Classes; Children With Special Health Care Needs; Communicable Disease Investigation; Community Education; Death/Birth Certificates; Family Planning; Food Service Inspections; Health Education; HIV/STD; Immunizations; Lactation Consultation; Lead Testing; Nutrition Education; On-Site Sewage Inspection; Pregnancy Tests; Prenatal Services; Show Me Healthy Women; Temporary Medicaid Cards for Expectant Women; Water Testing; Well Child Check-Up; WIC; Women's Clinic.

www.dadecountyhealth.com



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Cheryl Eversole, Administrator**

Address: **1011 W. Main, P.O. Box 199, Buffalo, MO 65622**

Phone: **(417) 345-2332**

Population: **16,113** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:3175** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Ed Trader**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$338,371**

Local: **\$188,533** State: **\$47,928** Federal: **\$87,428** Other: **\$14,482**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To be a catalyst or stimulus for all health services, and to provide public health services otherwise not provided in the county.

BCCCP; Community Education; Dental Education; Exercise Classes; Family Planning; Immunizations; Lead Testing; MC+ Promotion; STD; Walk-In; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Alisa Carter, Administrator**

Address: **201 Cedar, P.O. Box 21, Hermitage, MO 65668**

Phone: **(417) 745-2138**

Population: **9,005** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2970** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Mary Simpson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$242,500**

Local: **\$99,148** State: **\$53,753** Federal: **\$53,238** Other: **\$36,361**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Provide public health services and information to the community.

BCCCP; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Checks; Car Seat Program; Child Care Facility Training and Inspections; Cholesterol Testing; Communicable Disease Screens and Investigation; Community Education; Family Planning; Head Lice Screening; Immunizations (adults and children); Lead Screening; Outbreak Investigations; Physician Ordered Lab Services; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; Public Health Information and Referral; Restaurant/Lodging/Day Care Facility Inspections; Septic Permits; STD Screen; TB Screening; Toenail/Fingernail Care; Water Testing; WIC; Wise Women-Show Me Healthy Women; Women's Wellness.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Anthony (Tony) Mohr, Administrator**

Address: **105 Lincoln, Carthage, MO 64836**

Phone: **(417) 358-3111**

Population: **66,987** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1127** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Chuck Surface**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$732,163**

Local: **\$434,700** State: **\$99,382** Federal: **\$164,290** Other: **\$33,791**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Core Public Health Service.

Assistance with MC+; Birth and Death Records; Breast and Cervical Screening; Communicable Disease Follow-Up; Environmental Health Service; Immunizations; Health Education; High Risk Prenatal Case Management; Lead Education and Screenings; Pregnancy Tests/TEMP Qualified; STD; TB Skin Testing.



C i t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Dan Pekarek, Director**

Address: **513 Kentucky Ave., Joplin, MO 64801**

Phone: **(417) 623-6122**

Population: **46,373** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1: ____** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☐ City council ☒

Chair: **Edward McCallister, DDS**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.05**

Total revenue: **\$1,567,878**

Local: **\$876,130** State: **\$83,251** Federal: **\$588,843** Other: **\$19,654**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Essential public health services.

Animal Control; Communicable Disease Investigations and Control; Environmental Complaint and Pollution Control; Food Service Facility Inspections; Immunizations; Influenza Vaccine Clinics; Indigent Pharmacy Program; Lab Services; Lead Screening, Assessment, Case Management; Lodging and Day Care Facilities Inspections; Medicaid Enrollment; Pregnancy Testing; STD/HIV Testing and Counseling; Swimming Pools and Spas Monitoring; Tattoo Parlor Sanitation Program; Temporary Medicaid Card; Training Classes and Public Presentations; Vector Control; WIC; Yellow Fever Program.

www.joplinmo.org

Lawrence

County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Alethea Goodman, Administrator**

Address: **105 W. North St., Mt. Vernon, MO 65712**

Phone: **(417) 466-2201**

Population: **36,426** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1289** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Joe Ruscha**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$419,395**

Local: **\$136,515** State: **\$66,648** Federal: **\$179,599** Other: **\$36,632**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Educational/Clinical.

Bioterrorism Surveillance; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Clinics; Blood Sugar Testing; Car Seat Distribution and Checks; Case Management-Prenatal; Child Care Consultation and Inspections; Child Care Fatality Reviews; Child Safety Program; Cholesterol Testing; Communicable Disease and Follow-Up; Community Flu Shot Clinics; Community Health and Wellness Events; Community Service Monitor; County Road Clean-Up Administration; Court Ordered DNA Testing; Dental Program; Family Planning; Head Lice Checks; Health Education Program; High Risk Referral Follow-up; Immunizations; Information Resource Site; International Travel Information Site; Jail Nursing; LAPC; Lead Testing; Loan Evaluations; Mass Gathering Follow-up; Nutritional Counseling; Passive Surveillance Program; Pediatric CPR and First Aid Training; Physician Ordered Lab Draws; PKU Testing; Pregnancy Testing; Rabies Follow-up; Required TB Skin Testing; Restaurant Inspections; Sanitation Complaints; School Programs; Septic Inspections and Licensure; Serv-Safe Classes; SMHW Program; STD/HIV Screening and Counseling; Temporary Medicaid Issue Site; Travelers Immunizations; Tuberculosis Follow-up; Voter Registration; Water Testing; WIC.

McDonald County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Mary Lou Shaddox, Administrator**

Address: **500 Olin Street, P.O. Box 366, Pineville, MO 64856**

Phone: **(417) 223-4351**

Population: **22,363** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:4337** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☒ City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Bill Wilson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$439,765**

Local: **\$87,096** State: **\$51,276** Federal: **\$145,442** Other: **\$155,952**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Serving the county residents for the better health of the county.

Adult Immunizations (MMR/TD); Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screenings; Blood Sugar Checks; Case Management; CD Follow-up; DNA Testing; Hepatitis Testing; HIV Testing/Referral; Immunizations; PNCP; Pregnancy Test; Restaurant and Lodging Inspections; Septic Inspections; STD Testing/Treatment; TB Testing; Temporary Medicaid Cards; Water Testing; WIC.

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Bob Kulp, Administrator**

Address: **812 W. Harmony, P.O. Box 447, Neosho, MO 64850**

Phone: **(417) 451-3743**

Population: **48,785** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:183** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Kristy Jones**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.05**

Total revenue: **\$768,915**

Local: **\$428,933** State: **\$74,785** Federal: **\$216,322** Other: **\$48,874**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Population based programs and continue to fill identified voids.

Birth and Death Certificates; Communicable Disease Investigations; CPR Classes; Drinking Water Testing; Environmental Lead Assessments; Immunizations; Inspections of Day Care, Food Service and Lodging Facilities; Lead Testing for Children; On-Site Sewage System Inspections; PPD Skin Testing; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; STD/HIV Testing; WIC.



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Michelle Morris, Administrator**

Address: **1317 W. Broadway, P.O. Box 124, Bolivar, MO 65613**

Phone: **(417) 326-7250**

Population: **28,081** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:711** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Tanya Porter**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$613,613**

Local: **\$301,189** State: **\$57,619** Federal: **\$239,781** Other: **\$15,024**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To protect and promote the health and safety of the people in Polk County by responding appropriately to identified public health needs.

Blood Pressure; CD Follow-up; Child Care Consultation; Dental Sealants; Disease Surveillance; Environmental Health; Family Planning; Health Education/Promotion; HIV; Immunizations; Lactation Consultation; MC+ Enrollment Assistance; Pregnancy Test; Public Health Office Visits; STD; Temporary Medicaid Applications for Pregnant Women; Vital Records; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Nancy Stephan, Administrator**

Address: **530 Arduser Drive, Osceola, MO 64776**

Phone: **(417) 646-8332**

Population: **9,679** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1075** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Catherine Johnson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.21**

Total revenue: **\$860,989**

Local: **\$343,478** State: **\$50,929** Federal: **\$70,328** Other: **\$396,255**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Attempt to maintain healthy status of people in community.

Environmental Sanitation; Home Health; Immunizations; Rural Health Clinics (2); STD; WIC.

Springfield - Greene

County Public Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Kevin Gipson, Director**

Address: **227 E. Chestnut Expressway, Springfield, MO 65802**

Phone: **(417) 864-1657**

Population: **245,770**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:281**

Number of Hospitals: **5**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☐

City council/County Commission ☒

Presiding county commissioner: **David Coonrod**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.11**

Total revenue: **\$8,538,102**

Local: **\$5,131,336**

State: **\$362,543**

Federal: **\$2,202,336**

Other: **\$841,887**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Assuring the community is one where people can achieve their full potential and where adverse health and environmental issues receive prompt attention in an ethical, responsible, and quality manner.

Adult Indigent Primary Care, Medical; STD/HIV/AIDS; TB; Immunizations; School Based Primary Care; WIC; Air Quality Control; Water Quality; Food Control; Environmental Surveillance; Environmental Microbiological and Chemical Laboratory; Vector Control; Environmental Epidemiology; Communicable Disease Control; MCH; Community Health Education; Community Environmental Health Assessment; Community Health Planning; Data Analysis; Animal Control; Day Care Inspections; Solid Waste Control; Lead Poisoning Control; Health Alert Network/Bioterrorism.

www.ci.springfield.mo.us/health



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Angela Ford, MPA, BSN, Administrator**

Address: **109 E. 4th Street, P.O. Box 125, Galena, MO 65656**

Phone: **(417) 357-6134**

Population: **29,941** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1959** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Phyllis Knapp**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$535,088**

Local: **\$413,997** State: **\$58,579** Federal: **\$54,117** Other: **\$8,395**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Health education and disease prevention.

All Environmental Services; Blood Pressure Screening; Communicable Disease Testing and Follow-Up; Emergency Response; Family Planning; Immunizations/Flu Vaccinations; Lead Screening; Pregnancy Testing and Counseling; Public Health Education; Rabies Vaccination of Pets; Referral to Other agencies; Registrar; Smoking Cessation; STD/HIV Testing and Counseling; Temporary medicaid; Well Water Testing; Wellness Clinics; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jim Berry, Administrator**

Address: **15479 Hwy. 160, P.O. Box 369, Forsyth, MO 65653**

Phone: **(417) 546-4725**

Population: **41,403** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:588** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Beth Huddleston**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.14**

Total revenue: **\$1,889,896**

Local: **\$1,088,893** State: **\$76,363** Federal: **\$447,595** Other: **\$277,045**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Focus on all areas; communicable disease investigation; people and access to care has become a major focus; and dental.

Blood Pressure; Children's Dental Services; Environmental Services; Family Planning; Flu Shots; Hepatitis A; Immunizations; MC+ Applications; STD; School Health; WIC.

www.taneycohealth.org



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Beth Swopes, Administrator**

Address: **301 N. Washington, Nevada, MO 64772**

Phone: **(417) 667-7418**

Population: **20,283** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:811** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Jerry Beisner**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$501,510**

Local: **\$277,645** State: **\$48,427** Federal: **\$94,046** Other: **\$81,390**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Communicable disease control and environmental public health.

Allergy and B-12 Shots; Babysitting Class; CHART; Child Care Nursing Consultation; Communicable Disease Control and Investigation; Community Clinics; CPR/First Aid; Disease Testing; Environmental (food inspection, child care, sanitation inspection, lead risk assessment, and motel inspections); Flu Shot Clinics; Health Education Programs; Hepatitis A and B Shots; Immunizations; Maternal and Child Health (pregnancy testing, newborn home visits, car seat training, and distribution); STD/HIV Testing; Screenings (blood pressure, vision, hearing, height, weight, head lice, tympanogram, cholesterol testing, TB testing, and control); Vital Records; WIC; Women's Health Services.



C o u n t y H e a l t h U n i t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Louella M. Tunnell, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **233 E. Washington, Marshfield, MO 65706**

Phone: **(417) 859-2532**

Population: **33,124** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2970** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Betty Stokes**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.14**

Total revenue: **\$768,488**

Local: **\$482,184** State: **\$74,308** Federal: **\$137,389** Other: **\$74,607**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Prevention (Immunizations, WIC, etc.).

Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Project; Communicable Disease Follow-Up; Environmental; Family Planning; Home Visits (non-reimbursable); Immunizations; Lab (access to Lab Corp.); Lead Screening; Maternal Child Health; Prenatal (Amish); STD; WIC.



Public Health in Action

Hurricane Rita

A public health story from...

Ripley County Public Health Center

A personal report from Ripley County Director Jan Morrow.



n September 1, I became aware that we would start receiving hurricane evacuees within a two-hour notice.

I contacted all our board members, homeland security team members (consisting of EMA, county commissioners, law enforcement, the

coroner, community, school officials and staff) to place them on alert. All were willing to do whatever was needed. Board members, EMA and the homeland security team had my cell phone number and it began to ring and did not stop through Labor Day weekend. Rumors were rampant and I felt I was stamping out fires all weekend. By this time the state representative called to check on the situation and told me whatever he could do, he would.

On Tuesday, September 6, I took two registered nurses and the environmental public health specialist with me to make an inspection of the MOARK Christian Camp site, 14 miles south of Doniphan. The camp could accommodate 100 people pretty easily. About ten volunteers at that location began asking lots of questions. We tried to answer them honestly and completely. If we didn't know the answer we told them we would get back with them. After making a few calls a decision was made to return on Wednesday to give immunizations to volunteers for hepatitis A and B. The staff also gave numerous immunizations to Ozark Border, the Conservation Department, law enforcement and water patrol employees who were being deployed to Mississippi and Louisiana.

*“Whatever he could
do, he would...”*

The staff also reported that there were people from the affected areas coming into the county staying with families. They began to call with concerns and needs. Staff began trying to help them with immunizations, housing, replacing glasses that were lost, prescriptions that were left behind, clothing, formula, food and head lice shampoo. We received many comments such as “we knew the local public health center could help us.”

The week moved into the weekend and then into the next week. There were still no evacuees at the camp, only those staying with families. Things seemed to be dying down, so to speak. ‘Lo and behold’ on Saturday morning, September 24, 2005, at 6:00 a.m., the camp director called to say, “We got ‘em.” There were 16 people that arrived from the Hurricane Rita area.

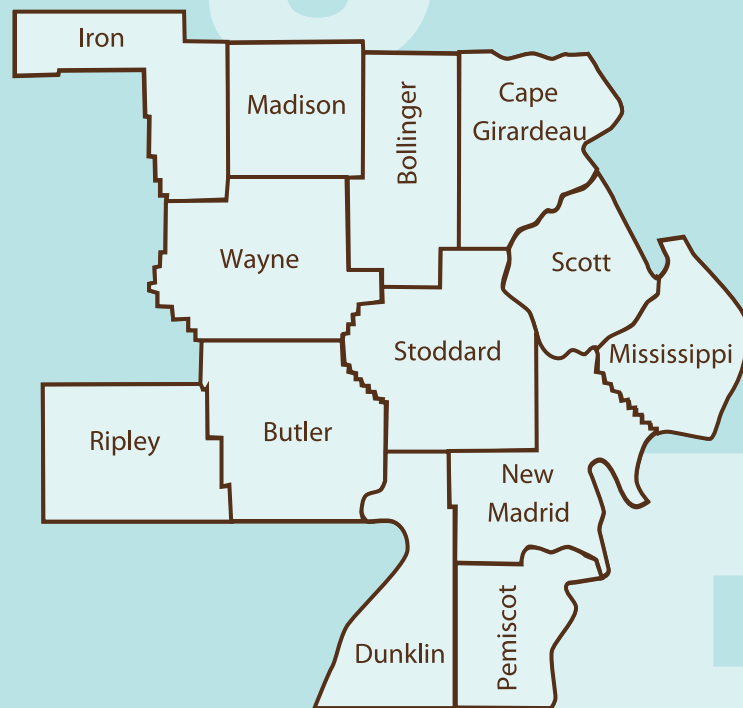
We did health assessments on everyone. Some needed medications, some just needed rest, and one had severe sunburn where he rode in the back of a pickup all the way from Texas. Some just needed a kind word and comfort.

Over the next month we continued to respond to calls made, follow-up visits, reports, kept the team members up-to-date and finished what needed to be done. We found that locals really do step-up to the plate and help in times of crisis. And it was proven, once again, how vital the health centers are to the counties. Public health centers are the glue that holds people together. Residents know they can call and get answers.



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C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Beverly Piepenbrok, Administrator**

Address: **107 Highway 51 North, P.O. Box 409, Marble Hill, MO 63764**

Phone: **(573) 238-2817**

Population: **12,318** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:3062** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **Josephine Dunbar**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.23**

Total revenue: **\$452,443**

Local: **\$264,440** State: **\$66,030** Federal: **\$76,752** Other: **\$45,222**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Promote physical and mental health and prevent disease, injury, and disability.

Breastfeeding Peer Counselors; BT/Emergency Response Planning/Education; Child Care Consultation; Chronic Diseases (individual and group screening and monitoring); Communicable Disease Prevention and Control (Epi Surveillance/Investigation); Environmental Health; Family Planning (referral only); Health Education; Health Promotion; Hearing and Vision Screening; Immunizations (main office and off site monthly in southern and northern parts of county and specific locations as needed); Lead Screening; Pamper Your Baby (cribs/infant massage/high-risk pregnancy home visitation); Pregnancy Testing and Referral; Prenatal Case Management; Satellite Broadcasts Site; Screening for Hypertension, Diabetes and Cholesterol; Show Me Health Women; STD/HIV (prevention, education, screening, and selected treatment); Tread Mill available for cardiovascular Workout; Vital Records; Wise Woman; WIC (main office and off site monthly in southern and northern parts of County).



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Robert Hudson, Administrator**

Address: **1619 North Main, Poplar Bluff, MO 63901**

Phone: **(573) 785-8478**

Population: **40,854** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:371** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Tom Warner**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$5,063,472**

Local: **\$625,093** State: **\$87,469** Federal: **\$605,918** Other: **\$3,744,992**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Core functions and LPHA's emerging role primarily assessment and policy development.

WIC; HAV Clinics for Food Handlers; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); Health Education (chronic); Title X Family Planning Services; HBV Clinics (high risk/public servants); Prenatal Case Management; In-Home Services; Immunizations; Car Seat Distribution; Chronic Disease Screening and Monitoring; HIV Case Management; Lead Case Management; In-Home Personal Care Services (150 full-time employees and 34 part-time employees); Bike Helmet Distribution; Crib Project; Breastfeeding.

Cape Girardeau

County Public Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Charlotte Craig, R.N., Director**

Address: **1121 Linden, P.O. Box 1839, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701**

Phone: **(573) 335-7846**

Population: **69,876** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:256** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Michael Wulfers, MD**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$2,021,667**

Local: **\$1,086,657** State: **\$110,763** Federal: **\$363,062** Other: **\$461,185**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Access to care; communicable disease prevention and control; disaster preparedness; environmental protection; and quality food inspection program.

Adult HAV/HBV/Flu Clinics; Asthma Case Management (school age); Birth and Death Certificates; Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Project; Child Care Consultation (day care); Child Case Management; Chronic Disease (screening and management); Communicable Disease Follow-up; Community Educational Offerings; Community Outreach; Day Care Environmental Inspections; Emergency and Disaster Preparedness and Planning; Family Planning; Food Safety Programs (education); Foodborne Illness Inspection; HIV Testing/Counseling; HIV/AIDS Care Coordination; Home Visiting; Immunizations (childhood and adult); Lead Case Management; Lodging Inspection; MC+/TEMP; Medicaid Case Management; Nursing Assessment (alternate school and detention center); On-Site Sewage Program; Postponing Sexual Involvement; Pregnancy Testing/High Risk Assessment; Prenatal Case Management (high risk infant case management); Primary Care (children, adult, and well women); Primary Care for HIV/AIDS; Respond to Environmental Complaints; Restaurant and Food Establishment Inspections; School Nursing (2 rural schools); STD Screening and Treatment; Tuberculosis Program; WIC.

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County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Steve Neal, Director**

Address: **1051 Jones Street, Kennett, MO 63857**

Phone: **(573) 717-7317**

Population: **32,654** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:781** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Joseph Phelman, MD**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$765,933**

Local: **\$365,160** State: **\$74,933** Federal: **\$242,943** Other: **\$82,897**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Prevention, seniors, tobacco education in schools, some abstinence education in schools.

Birth/Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screening; Blood Sugar Screening; Car Seat Distribution; Diabetes and Cholesterol Screening; Chronic Disease Screening and Maintenance Services; Communicable Disease Services; Emergency Response and Planning; Environmental Health; Flu Shots; Health Education; Hearing and Vision Screening; Immunizations; HAV Clinics for Food Handlers; Lead Screen and Case Management; MC+ Application Assistance; Temporary Medicaid Cards; On-Site Sewage; Pregnancy Testing and Referral; Prenatal Case Management; Satellite Broadcasts; School Education and Screening; STD Screen and Treatment; Tuberculosis Testing and Treatment; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Judith Davis, Administrator**

Address: **606 West Russell, Ironton, MO 63650**

Phone: **(573) 546-7121**

Population: **10,306** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1070** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Marvin C. Menne, MD**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$331,740**

Local: **\$183,935** State: **\$49,612** Federal: **\$73,786** Other: **\$24,407**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To continue to motivate people regarding the importance of prevention and provide preventive services.

Administration of Prescribed Injections; Birth and Death Certificates; Child Health Conference; Chronic Disease Screening and Monitoring; CPR/First Aid Classes; Environmental Public Health Specialist Services; High Risk Infant Case Management; Health Education; Immunizations; Lead Screening/Case Management; People With Arthritis Can Exercise (PACE) Classes; Postpartum Home Visiting; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; Smoking Cessation Classes; STD/HIV Screening and Treatment (on-site); Voter Registration Site; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Becky Hunt, Administrator**

Address: **806 West College Avenue, Fredericktown, MO 63645**

Phone: **(573) 783-2747**

Population: **11,804** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1073** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dennis Bess**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$517,128**

Local: **\$130,932** State: **\$99,397** Federal: **\$231,326** Other: **\$55,474**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To insure a quality standard and access to health care for all citizens regardless of income.

Breastfeeding Awareness Program; CHC; Chronic Disease Screening and Office Visits, Maintenance Preventive Health Education; CPR and First Aid Certification; Day Care Nurse Consultation and Health Education; ENT Clinic; Family Planning (through East MO Action Agency/EMAA); Flu Clinics (at job sites); HCY; Health Education; Immunizations; Lead Case Management and Environmental Risk Assessment Investigation; Lead Screening; Pediculosis Program; Prenatal Case Management; MC+; Mental Health; MO Home Based Visiting Program (teens and first time single parents); Office Visits (injections and blood draws); Pregnancy Testing; School Health (immunizations); STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); TEMP; WIC.



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Melanie Glaus, Administrator**

Address: **1200 East Marshall, Charleston, MO 63834**

Phone: **(573) 683-2191**

Population: **14,386** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2793** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **Ron Peterson, DDS**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$703,289**

Local: **\$174,907** State: **\$67,039** Federal: **\$157,580** Other: **\$303,763**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Family planning services; seeing younger and younger prenatals but not as many negative outcomes due to prenatal clinical services at the LPHA.

BCCCP; Birth/Death Certificates; Blood Pressure; Blood Sugar; Child Care Nurse Consultation; Chronic Disease Screening and Maintenance Services; Communicable Disease Services; Environmental Health; Family Planning; Flu Shots; Health Education; Home Visiting Program; Immunizations; Lead Screen and Case Management; MC+ Application Assistance; On-Site Sewage; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Clinics; Primary Care; Prenatal Case Management; School Education and Screening (lice and furnish treatment); STD Screen and Treatment (on-site); TEMP; Tuberculosis; Vital Records; WIC.

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County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Charles Baker, Administrator**

Address: **406 Highway 61, New Madrid, MO 63869**

Phone: **(573) 748-5541**

Population: **19,187** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:4785** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Doyle Hicks**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$821,662**

Local: **\$378,538** State: **\$99,674** Federal: **\$278,497** Other: **\$64,953**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Providing preventive health care services to residents of New Madrid County.

Blood Pressure; Cardiovascular Program; Cholesterol; Diet Education (as requested); Environmental Sanitation; Family Planning; Health Education; Healthy Children Nutrition Education Initiative; Immunizations; MC+ Application Assistance; MO Community Based-Home Visiting Program; PACE Class (exercise and aquatics); Physical Therapy On-Site (by doctors provided through Restart at MO Delta Hospital); Prenatal; PSA; School Health Nurse and Social Worker; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); Transportation Consortium; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Gary Gill, Administrator**

Address: **801 East Reed Street, P.O. Box 531, Hayti, MO 63851**

Phone: **(573) 359-1656**

Population: **19,729** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1045** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Glenn Haynes**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$583,441**

Local: **\$197,564** State: **\$61,957** Federal: **\$157,415** Other: **\$166,505**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Preventive care; community education; and environmental health.

Blood Pressure; CHC; Cholesterol; Family Planning; Healthy Birth Outcomes; Head Lice Screening and Treatment; Health Education; Immunizations; Inspection Food Service Establishment; Lead Screening; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; Prenatal Parenting; Prenatal Parenting for Teenagers; Perinatal Substance Abuse; Scoliosis Screening; STD Clinics; Temp Cards; Vital Records; WIC.



C o u n t y P u b l i c H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jan Morrow, Director**

Address: **1003 East Locust Street, Doniphan, MO 63935**

Phone: **(573) 996-2181**

Population: **13,781** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1489** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Bob Adams**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$366,659**

Local: **\$156,158** State: **\$60,860** Federal: **\$94,859** Other: **\$54,782**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Main focus is to provide quality public health care to all residents.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure; Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Project; Case Management; Cholesterol Screening; Communicable Disease Investigation and Treatment; Emergency Preparedness; Health Education; Immunizations; Lead Screening; Sanitation Inspections; STD; Teen Parenting; TEMP Cards; WIC; Women's Health Care.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Barry Cook, Administrator**

Address: **102 Grove Estates Court, P.O. Box 129, Sikeston, MO 63801**

Phone: **(573) 471-4044**

Population: **40,779** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:592** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dr. Robert Ahlvin**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$922,306**

Local: **\$512,019** State: **\$80,373** Federal: **\$220,802** Other: **\$109,112**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Protect the health of the county. Provision of clinical services due to lack of access to private primary care.

Adult Immunizations; Birth and Death Certificates; Child Care Nurse Consultation; Chronic Disease Screening and Monitoring; Dental Sealants Fiscal Agent; Environmental Assessments; Family Planning; Health Education; Immunizations; Lead Case Management; Lead Screening; PACE; Prenatal Case Management; School Screenings; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); WIC; Regional Lead Screening Instruction and Education Region includes: Dunklin, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Scott, and Stoddard.

Stoddard

County Public Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Debbie Pleimling, R.N., Director**

Address: **1001 North Highway 25, P.O. Box 277, Bloomfield, MO 63825**

Phone: **(573) 568-4593**

Population: **29,828** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1755** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Annette Lumsden**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$776,840**

Local: **\$415,801** State: **\$66,345** Federal: **\$138,078** Other: **\$156,615**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public health should address keeping people healthy through education, services, and screening.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screening; CD Follow-up; Cholesterol Testing; Chronic Disease Screening and Monitoring; CPR Classes; Day Care Educational Programs; Day Care Site Inspections; Environmental Health Services; Family Planning; Glucose Screening; HAV Clinics/Food Handlers; HBV Clinics/High Risk Public; Head Lice Checks and Treatment; Health Education; Immunizations; Infant Cribs; Influenza Clinics; Lead Case Management; On-Site Sewage; PACE Program; Postponing Sexual Involvement (PSI); Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; STD Referral (except FP); Suicide Prevention Programs; TB Follow-up; TEMP.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Rae Jean Crutchfield, Administrator**

Address: **Highway 67, P.O. Box 259, Greenville, MO 63944**

Phone: **(573) 224-3218**

Population: **13,090** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1640** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Lori Montgomery**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$1,367,911**

Local: **\$118,653** State: **\$69,785** Federal: **\$164,770** Other: **\$1,014,703**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Serving the citizens of Wayne County; educating residents on preventive health needs.

Abstinence Classes; Blood Sugar Screening; B/P Screenings; CD Follow-up; Cholesterol Screenings; CPR Classes; Day Care Education Programs; Day Care Site Inspections; Environmental Health Services; Expectant Parent Classes; Family Planning; Health Education; Immunizations; In-Home Services; Influenza Clinics; On-Site Sewage; Pregnancy Testing and TEMP; Prenatal Case Management; School Screening and Physicals; STD Screening and TB Follow-up; Treatment Referral; WIC.




Public Health in Action

Less Waste, More Milk

A public health story from...

Cole County Health Department

A grade school nutrition study influences healthy lifestyle choices.

 ur community health assessment is a vital part of the core public health functions that we take very seriously. By looking at primary and secondary data, we can more strategically plan program development and how we should use the limited but very valuable public

resources we receive.

Our last two community assessments revealed healthy lifestyles as an issue that impacts the burden of chronic diseases to society. The department realized the need to explore ways to increase exercise and activity, as well as, good nutrition across the age span.

We conducted a pilot program with one of the grade schools in Cole County in the spring semester of 2004. The goal was to see if there was less waste of food and an increase in the consumption of milk, if lunch was served after recess. The second objective was to see if the children would be more settled at lunch, and during the afternoon classes.

This study was based on research articles that were presented to the school principal who agreed to let us pilot the program.

In January 2004, the health department conducted a plate waste measurement at the school to establish a baseline for working with the second and third grade classes. Recess was changed from after lunch to

before lunch for these two grades. Staff collaborated with the school principal, the service director, the school nutritionist, a parent and the food service staff. The pilot was conducted under the direction of the health department's registered dietitian.

The pilot project found that the children ate more and were much more settled in their afternoon classes when lunch was served after recess. As a result, the principal changed all of the grades to this schedule due to the positive response from the teachers on how well settled the children were when returning to the classroom. In addition, results showed that the children ate better, wasted less nutritious food and consumed more milk.

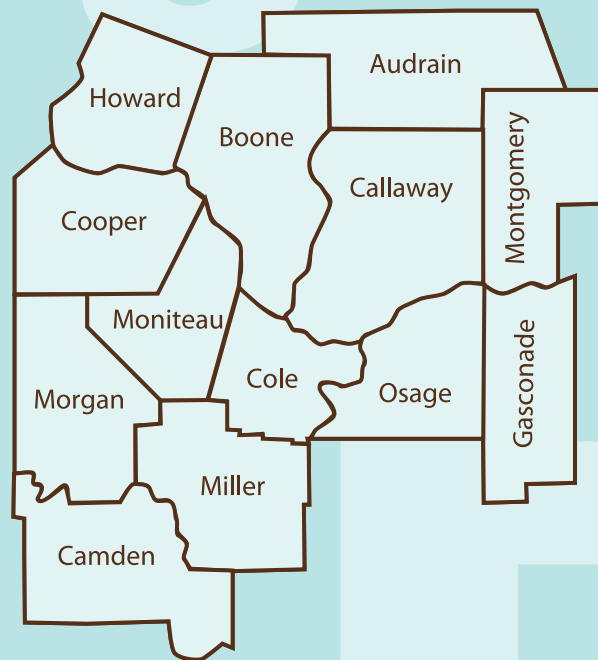
It would be our goal to expand the study of nutrition into prevention, with increased financial resources. Healthy lifestyle habits are lifelong and are often established in our youth. If more could be done to influence healthy lifestyles choices for exercise and nutrition, then we could begin to see changes in the chronic disease rates in our population groups in the years to come.

*“Healthy lifestyle
habits are lifelong...”*



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C i t y - C o u n t y H e a l t h U n i t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Kevin Lowrance, Administrator**

Address: **605 East Promenade, P.O. Box 957, Mexico, MO 65265**

Phone: **(573) 581-1332**

Population: **25,716** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:503** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board



County commission



City council



Board Chair: **Richard Webber**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$1,703,421**

Local: **\$569,748** State: **\$66,325** Federal: **\$91,013** Other: **\$976,335**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public Health/Home health & Hospice; Preventative health, support, and education in order to promote and facilitate the health and well-being of the community.

Blood Pressure Clinics; Environmental Public Health Services; Family Planning; Home Health and Hospice Services; Immunizations; Office Visits for Resident Support; Speech Pathology Services; STD; WIC.

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C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Sharon Lynch, Administrator**

Address: **4950 County Rd. 304, Fulton, MO 65251**

Phone: **(573) 642-6881**

Population: **42,225** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1319** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Lee Fritz**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$386,387**

Local: **\$119,527** State: **\$65,774** Federal: **\$172,409** Other: **\$28,676**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To decrease preventable illness, injury, disability, and premature deaths through promotion of health education and prevention.

Adult Walk-In Clinics (blood pressure, blood glucose, and injections with doctors' orders); Birth and Death Certificates; Car Seat Program; Child Day Care Consultation; Communicable Disease Control and Follow-up; Environmental Services; Health Education; HIV/AIDS Testing; Immunizations; Pregnancy Testing; Services for TB Clients; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Bryant Burton, Administrator**

Address: **44 Roofener St., P.O. Box 816, Camdenton, MO 65020**

Phone: **(573) 346-5479**

Population: **38,302**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:557**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Carolyn Lorraine**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$569,502**

Local: **\$389,354**

State: **\$60,808**

Federal: **\$100,975**

Other: **\$18,365**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Providing leadership and information (education) on a variety of health issues affecting the county population.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Screenings; Communicable Disease Follow-up; Diagnostic Screenings; Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Project; Family Planning; Immunizations; Maternal and Child Health; Pregnancy Tests; STD; WIC.

www.camdenmo.org



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Ivah Scott, R.N., Director**

Address: **1616 Industrial Drive, Jefferson City, MO 65109**

Phone: **(573) 636-2181**

Population: **72,454** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:325** Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☒ City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Robert Jones**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$1,565,179**

Local: **\$744,269** State: **\$147,051** Federal: **\$498,281** Other: **\$175,577**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Population-based service dedicated to the protection of the community's health and prevention of illness.

Birth and Death Records (local registrar for Cole and Osage Counties); Child Care Consultations; Communicable Disease Surveillance and Follow-up; Environmental Inspection for Local Day Cares; Environmental Public Health Programs; Family Planning Clinic; HIV/AIDS Testing, Counseling, and Case Management (STD Clinic); Immunizations (children and adults); TB Skin Testing for County Government Employees; Juvenile Attention Center Children Physicals; Licensed Day Care Inspections; MC+ Temp Cards Issued; Missouri Foundation for Health for Women's Health and Cancer Screening for Women Ages 18-34 that do not meet the Criteria for Show Me Healthy Women; Peer Breast Feeding Counselor as Well as a Certified Lactation Consultant; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Clinic; School Health Nursing; Show Me Healthy Women; STD; TB Surveillance of County Jail; Traumatic Brain Injury Case Management; Walk-in Office Visits; Well Physicals for Children (available by appointment only); WIC.

Columbia - Boone

C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Stephanie Browning, Administrator**

Address: **1005 West Worley, P.O. Box 6015, Columbia, MO 65205**

Phone: **(573) 874-7346**

Population: **141,122** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:162** Number of Hospitals: **6**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☐ City Council/County Commission ☒

Presiding county commissioner: **Keith Schnarre; Darwin Hindman, Mayor**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$3,793,586**

Local: **\$2,430,173** State: **\$140,454** Federal: **\$957,585** Other: **\$265,374**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Disease Prevention and Health Promotion.

Animal Control; Environmental Health Services; Family Planning; Health Education; Home Visits for the Elderly; Communicable Disease Surveillance; Immunizations; BCCCP; Rural Health-Nursing Clinics; Social Work-Eligibility Referrals; STD; TB Screening and Control; Utility Assistance; Vital Records; WIC.

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County Public Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Melanie Hein, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **Advantage Square, 606 E. Spring St., Boonville, MO 65233**

Phone: **(660) 882-2626**

Population: **17,009** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1215** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☒ City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Eddie Brickner**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$221,660**

Local: **\$125,046** State: **\$46,746** Federal: **\$42,299** Other: **\$7,570**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Immunizations, communicable disease investigation and follow-up, vital records, and environmental health.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Checks; Child Care Facility Inspections; Cholesterol/HGB Screening; Communicable Disease Education, Investigation and Follow-up; Community Education; County Environmental Food Service Inspections; Environmental/Sewer Complaint Follow-up; Glucose Testing; Head Lice Screening; HIV Testing; Immunizations; Lead Screening and Testing; MC+ Applications; On-Site Waste Water Permits; Outbreak Investigations; Pregnancy Testing; Public Health Information and Referral; STD Screening; TB Testing, Screening, and Treatment; Temporary Medicaid Cards; Water Testing; WIC.

Gasconade - Osage

C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Ruth Bock, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **300 Schiller St., Hermann, MO 65041**

Phone: **(573) 486-3129**

Population: **28,676** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1898** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected)/County Commission ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **Judy Toedtmann, Gasconade Co.; Commissioner: Russell Schuelen, Osage Co.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10 (Gasconade County Only)**

Total revenue: **\$428,741**

Local: **\$235,264** State: **\$90,227** Federal: **\$93,136** Other: **\$10,113**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Protect the public's health and environment; promote healthy lifestyles and behaviors.

WIC; Immunizations; Health Education Programs; Public Health Home Visits; Health Screenings; Restaurant Inspections; Birth and Death Certificates; Water Samples.

www.gasconhealth.com

Howard

County Public Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Sheila Wallace, Administrator**

Address: **600 W. Morrison, Suite. 7, Fayette, MO 65248**

Phone: **(660) 248-3100**

Population: **10,007** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1667** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☒ City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Lowell Eaton**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$191,605**

Local: **\$69,962** State: **\$47,106** Federal: **\$38,640** Other: **\$35,897**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Women, adolescent, and children's health.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Checks; Child Care Facility Training and Inspections; Cholesterol/HGB Screening; Communicable Disease Education, Investigation and Follow-up; Community Education; Family Planning; Glucose Testing; Head Lice Screening; Immunizations (adults and children); Lead Screening and Testing; Outbreak Investigations; Pregnancy Testing; Public Health Information and Referral; Restaurant/Lodging Inspections; School Health; STD Screening; Temporary Medicaid Assignment for Pregnant Women; Tuberculosis Screening and Education; Water Testing; WIC; Women's Wellness.



County Health Center

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Teresa Capps, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **Courthouse, P.O. Box 12, Tuscumbia, MO 65082**

Phone: **(573) 369-2359**

Population: **24,255**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:967**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Larry Sullivan**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$784,032**

Local: **\$481,399**

State: **\$58,677**

Federal: **\$160,068**

Other: **\$83,889**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: WIC and Family Planning.

Child Health Conferences; Family Planning; Home Health (limited); Immunizations; Prenatal; STD; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jerene Huff, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **401 South Francis, California, MO 65018**

Phone: **(573) 796-3412**

Population: **14,965** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1669** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Eileen Crawford**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.15**

Total revenue: **\$367,889**

Local: **\$249,924** State: **\$53,137** Federal: **\$57,227** Other: **\$7,601**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Healthy people in a healthy community.

Adult Hep A and B Program; Blood Pressure Screenings; Blood Sugar Screenings; Certified Copies of Birth/Death Certificates; Child Health Conferences; Communicable Disease Follow-up; Educational Presentations; Environmental Health Services; Family Planning; Flu Clinics; Immunizations; Lead Screening; Pregnancy Testing; Public Health; School Screenings; Sports Physicals; STD Testing; TB Testing; WIC.



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Geneva Allison, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **400 North Salisbury, Montgomery City, MO 63361**

Phone: **(573) 564-2495**

Population: **12,068** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1206** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Gerald Deves**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.14**

Total revenue: **\$550,016**

Local: **\$239,640** State: **\$47,520** Federal: **\$55,431** Other: **\$207,424**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Prevention and health promotion.

Childcare Health and Safety Consultation; Communicable Disease Control; Death and Birth Certificates Issues; Environmental Services; Family Planning; Health Education; HIV/AIDS Testing; Home Health; Immunizations (adult and child); Information Connection Toll Free Service; Lead Testing; Safety Seats; SCHN Case Management; STD (testing and treatment); TB; Wellness Screens; WIC.

www.montgomerycountyhealth.org



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Lorraine Kerksiek, Administrator**

Address: **104 West Lafayette, P.O. Box 88, Versailles, MO 65084**

Phone: **(573) 378-5438**

Population: **20,000** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1633** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Mildred Heimsoth**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$872,045**

Local: **\$407,328** State: **\$228,974** Federal: **\$196,920** Other: **\$38,823**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Family planning and early prenatal care, younger population education for senior citizens, and environmental health.

Blood Pressure Checks; Child Health Conferences; Family Planning; Immunizations; Prenatal; STD; WIC; Women's health.

www.morganhealth.org

Public Health in Action

Rural Alliance in Action!

A public health story from...

Reynolds County Health Center

A community collaboration aims at building a better tomorrow in rural Missouri.



ural counties throughout Missouri face a number of disparities in preventable and chronic diseases, as well as a lack of infrastructure and professional capacity to address health needs. Kathleen Zimmerman, director of the Reynolds County Health Center, recognized that no single

organization has the capacity or resources to adequately respond to these issues. In July 2003, Zimmerman invited local public health agencies and community leaders from a five county area to meet and discuss the problems. During the meeting the group was asked to describe the ideal health care system and identify factors they felt were needed to improve health care in the local area.

By the fall of 2003, it became clear that several agencies shared a vision of multi-agency collaboration. A six-member group formed and named the new partnership, the Mark Twain Forest Regional Health Alliance.

The formative members included: Missouri Highlands Health Care, a community health center; Advanced Health Care Medical Center, a critical access hospital; Whole Health Outreach and Whole Kids Outreach, faith-based organizations; Carter County Health Center; and Reynolds County Health Center.

The mission of the Alliance is to develop and strengthen the capacity of the community health service providers, government entities and businesses to strategically create healthy community environments that foster healthy individuals and families in Carter, Iron, Reynolds, Shannon and Wayne Counties.

In September 2003, the group received a HRSA Rural Health Network Development Planning Grant. Grants from the Missouri Foundation for Health allowed the Alliance to hire a consultant to help develop a three-year Strategic Plan and develop the Show Me Healthy and Active Rural Communities project. The project offers a comprehensive plan to increase the proportion of adults, adolescents and children who achieve or maintain a healthy weight. The project will engage community groups to increase supports for physical activity and healthy eating among people at highest risk, including low-income residents, and the medically underserved. The project also includes working with 14 schools serving more than 17,700 children in five counties.

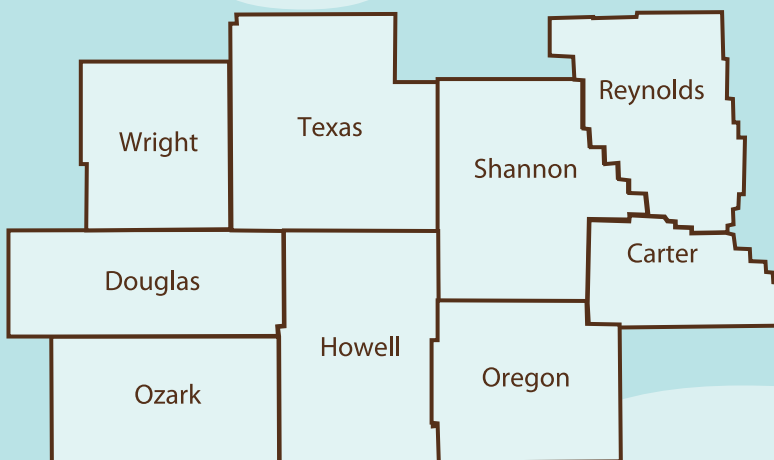
The Alliance continues to work together to obtain funding and improve the health status of residents in this region. "Building systems of care, collaborations, and networks must become a priority for all local public health agencies," Zimmerman said. "We must take a proactive role to become partners within our county and across territorial lines into our region and throughout the state. We must band together with our partners and collectively build a better tomorrow so we have a healthy legacy to leave for generations to come."

*"...networks must
become a priority."*



Region 9

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C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Debbie Sandarciero, R.N., BSN, Administrator**
Address: **1611 Health Center Rd., P.O. Box 70, Van Buren, MO 63965**
Phone: **(573) 323-4413**
Population: **5,974** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:5860** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐
Board Chair: **Judith Jackson**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.25**
Total revenue: **\$827,289**
Local: **\$131,369** State: **\$75,275** Federal: **\$139,469** Other: **\$481,176**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Taking care of the citizens in the county; promoting and protecting health of the people in Carter County; development and implementation of health services based on assessment needs; and more focus on homemakers program.

WIC; Immunizations; Health Education; STD Screening and Treatment Referral; Family Planning; Prenatal Case Management; BCCCP; TB Screenings/Medication; Lead Screening; Blood Pressure/Cholesterol/Blood Sugar/HIV Testing; Flu Clinics; School Health Screening and Consultations; Vital Records; Home Health Services; Homemaker Services.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Sandra Pueppke, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **603 NW 12th Ave., P.O. Box 940, Ava, MO 65608**

Phone: **(417) 683-4213**

Population: **13,363** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2222** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **Nuell Brill**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.20**

Total revenue: **\$1,027,409**

Local: **\$217,665** State: **\$58,719** Federal: **\$98,878** Other: **\$652,147**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public Health, Home Health, Health Education, and Case Management.

WIC; Immunizations; Home Health (personal care, home care and respite care); STD Screening and Referrals; Birth and Death Certificates; Environmental Services (water testing, sanitation); Case Management (high-risk prenatal, diabetes, cardiovascular disease, and obesity); Chronic Disease Prevention; Screenings (blood sugar, cholesterol, blood pressure); Communicable Disease Surveillance; Car Seat Safety Education sponsored by MCH; Hemoglobin A1c testing; Family Planning sponsored by MFFH; Child Abuse and Neglect Education; Safe Cribs Program sponsored by CTF; Improved Access to Care sponsored by Delta Rural Health Initiative; Influenza Clinics; Public Health Clinics; Supporting Parents Classes and Resource Library; Bioterrorism Emergency Response Preparedness Education; Healthy and Active Communities sponsored by MFFH; Lead Screening, Education and Outreach; TB Screenings and Referrals; Core Public Health functions.

www.dchd.org



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Chris Gilliam, Director**

Address: **411 Garfield, West Plains, MO 65775**

Phone: **(417) 256-7078**

Population: **37,499**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:548**

Number of Hospitals: **2**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Robert Shaw, M.D.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$917,911**

Local: **\$336,333**

State: **\$96,289**

Federal: **\$249,130**

Other: **\$236,159**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To improve, promote, and protect the health of Howell County through awareness, assessment, and planning.

Show Me Healthy Women (Howell and Ozark); Blood Pressure Screenings; Cholesterol Screenings; Communicable Disease Control; Environmental Public Health Services; Glucose Testing; Health Education; HGB; HGB for Dialysis Patients; Immunizations; Lead Screening; MC+ Enrollment; Multi-County Womens Health Initiative (includes Family Planning); Prenatal Case Management; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); TEMP; Vision and Hearing Testing; Vital Records; WIC; Worksite Screenings and Immunizations.

<http://howell.lphamo.org>



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Shiela Russell, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **4th & Market Street, P.O. Box 189, Alton, MO 65606**

Phone: **(417) 778-7450**

Population: **10,301** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:10265** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **John Barton**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$327,093**

Local: **\$111,002** State: **\$57,469** Federal: **\$107,799** Other: **\$50,823**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Protecting and promoting public health in the county; education.

BCCCP; CPR; Family Planning; Health Education; Immunizations; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Rhonda Suter, Administrator**

Address: **304 W. 3rd St., P.O. Box 180, Gainesville, MO 65655**

Phone: **(417) 679-3334**

Population: **9,498**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1342**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Lyndell Strong**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$419,379**

Local: **\$94,740**

State: **\$47,132**

Federal: **\$51,364**

Other: **\$226,143**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Healthy Community and Education. Primary programs: WIC, Immunizations, Family Planning, and Homemakers.

Family Planning; Health Education; Homemakers; Immunizations; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); WIC.

www.ocph.org



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Kathleen Zimmerman, R.N., Director**

Address: **P.O. Box 40, Centerville, MO 63633**

Phone: **(573) 648-2498**

Population: **6,581**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1657**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Cheri Barton**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$298,341**

Local: **\$107,953**

State: **\$47,789**

Federal: **\$48,749**

Other: **\$93,850**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Serve health needs of citizens of Reynolds County; education-especially on healthy lifestyle; and screenings to identify health risks.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure and Blood Sugar (walk-in clinic); Case Management; Childcare Nurse Education and Consultation; Cholesterol and Diabetes Screenings; Communicable Disease Surveillance; Emergency Preparedness Education; Food and Lodging Establishments Inspections; Health Education; HIV Testing; Immunizations; Influenza Shots; Lead Testing; Nutrition Education and Counseling; Rabies Inspection Follow-up; School Nursing; STD Counseling; TB Skin Testing and Follow-up; Water Testing/Sewage Inspections; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Kandra Counts, Administrator**

Address: **110 Grey Jones Drive, P.O. Box 788, Eminence, MO 65466**

Phone: **(573) 226-3914**

Population: **8,293**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2794**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Andy Bressler**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$1,002,131**

Local: **\$88,711**

State: **\$45,232**

Federal: **\$78,205**

Other: **\$789,984**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public Health; Home Health, and In-Home for residents of Shannon County.

Bioterrorism/Emergency Response Planning; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Draws; Blood Pressure Screening; Communicable Disease; Core Public Health; Environmental Health Services; Family Planning; Glucose Screening; Health Education; Home Health; Immunizations (childhood and adult); In-Home Services; Lead Screening; MCH; Prenatal Case Management; Show Me Healthy Women; STD Screening and Treatment Referral; Temporary Medicaid; Tuberculosis Testing and Follow-up; WIC.



County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jackie Smith, Administrator**

Address: **402 South First Street, Houston, MO 65483**

Phone: **(417) 967-4131**

Population: **24,142** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1539** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **C.J. Smith**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$604,954**

Local: **\$202,315** State: **\$68,763** Federal: **\$287,693** Other: **\$46,183**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Health education/screenings, communicable disease control and environmental programs.

Blood Pressure/Glucose/Cholesterol/Hemoglobin screening; Health Education (individual and group); Immunizations; MC+ Enrollment; Prenatal Case Management; Pregnancy Testing; SMHW; Wise Woman; STD Screening/Treatment; TEMP; Vital Records; TB Screening/Treatment; Flu Clinics; Environmental Public Health (restaurant/lodging inspections, water testing private wells, daycare inspections); Disease Surveillance/Communicable Disease Follow-up and Control; Emergency Preparedness Education/Assistance; WIC Nutrition Program.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Tracy Hardcastle, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **300 South Main, Suite C, P.O. Box 97, Hartville, MO 65667**

Phone: **(417) 741-7791**

Population: **18,186**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1640**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Mavis Chasteen**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$453,618**

Local: **\$147,370**

State: **\$100,162**

Federal: **\$141,347**

Other: **\$64,739**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: General public health.

BCCCP; B/P Screening; Car Seats/Bike Helmets and Education; Child Care Consultation and Sanitation; CPR Training; Family Planning; Head Start Screening; Health Education; Immunizations; Prenatal Case Management; Sports Physicals for School; STD Screening and Treatment (on-site); WIC.

www.wrightcountyhealthdept.com



Meals with Class

A public health story from...

Nodaway County Health Department

A new healthy living and parenting program will be back for second year.

7he Nodaway County Health Department collaborated with Community Services Inc. and offered Meal with Class, a program that taught families in the county about the importance of a healthy lifestyle and parenting skills.

Meal with Class programs met the last Monday of every month. A meal was designed with time, money management and health as a priority. Meals were prepared by an employee of the Nodaway County Health Department and served family-style so parents and children could eat together at the same table. Recipes, cost, fat content, calorie intake and serving size were discussed at every class. It was easy for families to see that a healthy, tasty meal was made with little effort and cost.

After the meal, children engaged in activities led by a sorority from Northwest Missouri State University. The parents were taken to a different room to learn skills essential for parenting, eating and living. Speakers presented a new topic every month. Some classes included Stop the Pop, Games to Play as a Family, Five-a-Day Month, Money Management, the Importance of Exercise and many more.

The attendance for Meal with Class averaged five families per month.

Participants ranged from a young family with two children, to a single college mother with a five-year-old, to a single working mom with three young children and her new boyfriend.

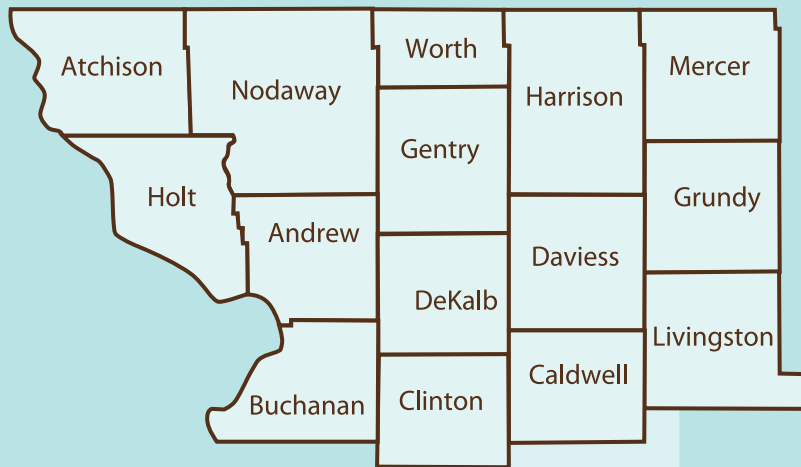
We ended the program's first year with a picnic celebration. Many of the families want to be participants for the next year; some will serve on an advisory council being formed to determine future classes. This has been a great collaboration for our facility. We look forward to a second year of the Meal with Class program in Nodaway County.

*“a healthy, tasty meal
was made with little
effort and cost.”*



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C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **William Couldry, PhD, Administrator**

Address: **106 North 5th, P.O. Box 271, Savannah, MO 64485**

Phone: **(816) 324-3139**

Population: **16,813** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:4188** Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Connie George**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$362,890**

Local: **\$208,795** State: **\$48,909** Federal: **\$86,575** Other: **\$18,611**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To promote the health of the people living in the community, focusing mainly on children.

Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure and Clinics; Cholesterol Screenings; Core Public Health; Disease Surveillance and Investigation; Environmental Service; Health Education; Home Visits to Homebound; Immunizations; Lead Screenings; WIC.

www.andrewcountyhealth.homestead.com/home.html



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Eleanor Blackney, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **421 Main, Tarkio, MO 64491**

Phone: **(660) 736-4121**

Population: **6,286**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1054**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Dr. James Hunter, Jr.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.05**

Total revenue: **\$212,451**

Local: **\$91,803**

State: **\$80,040**

Federal: **\$31,803**

Other: **\$8,805**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To serve the residents of Atchison County.

AA; BCCCP; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Clinic; Cholesterol Clinics; WIC; Core Public Health; Family Planning; HIV Testing; Immunizations; Property Tax Credit Assistance; STD Education; Toenail Clinics; Weight Watchers.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Shelly Sims, Administrator**

Address: **275 South Washington, P.O. Box 66, Kingston, MO 64650**

Phone: **(816) 586-2311**

Population: **9,159**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1516**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Larry Wiley**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.25**

Total revenue: **\$364,144**

Local: **\$224,865**

State: **\$80,841**

Federal: **\$23,486**

Other: **\$34,952**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To meet the needs of people in the communities of Caldwell County.

B/P Clinics; Birth/Death Certificates; Blood Sugar Screenings; Cholesterol Screening; Environmental Health Services; Home Health Visits; Immunizations; Pregnancy Testing; Public Health Home Visits; School Health for 6 Schools; Temporary Medicaid Cards; TB Screenings; Well Child Clinics; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Marcia Kay Downey, Administrator**

Address: **106 Bush Street, Plattsburg, MO 64477**

Phone: **(816) 539-2144**

Population: **20,140** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1033** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Carolyn Lovelace**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.09**

Total revenue: **\$578,409**

Local: **\$282,722** State: **\$86,991** Federal: **\$163,597** Other: **\$45,099**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Core public health functions, population-based health care, immunizations, disease surveillance/follow-up, health education, and emergency preparedness.

Birth and Death Records-Local Registrar for Clinton County; Blood Pressure Clinics; Childcare Consultation; Environmental Programs; Immunization for Children and Adults (including Influenza); Immunization Registry; Lead Screenings; Licensed Day Care Inspections; Pregnancy Testing; STD/HIV Testing; TB Screenings; Traumatic Brain Injury Service Coordination; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jack Hunsucker, Administrator**

Address: **609A South Main Street, Gallatin, MO 64640**

Phone: **(660) 663-2414**

Population: **8,004**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2677**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Elaina Tolen**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.26**

Total revenue: **\$416,714**

Local: **\$228,009**

State: **\$48,609**

Federal: **\$48,858**

Other: **\$91,238**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To promote the health of Daviess County.

Birth and Death Certificates; Case Management; CHC; CPR Training; Day Care Consultation and Inspection; Disease Surveillance; Environmental Public Health; HCY; Health Screenings; Home Health; Immunizations; Lead Testing; Newborn Screening; On-Site Sewage; Public Health Home Visits; Referral System; School Health; STD Testing and Education; TB Testing; Temp Medicaid and MC+ Applications; WIC.

www.davinesshealthonline.com



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Kimberley Oaks, Administrator**

Address: **1716 Lincoln Street, Trenton, MO 64683**

Phone: **(660) 359-4196**

Population: **10,311** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1277** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Ronda Lickteig**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.30**

Total revenue: **\$578,330**

Local: **\$353,458** State: **\$64,580** Federal: **\$98,337** Other: **\$61,956**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Chronic Disease, Domestic Violence, and Teen Pregnancy.

Adult Immunizations (including Flu Shots); Assessment of Local Health Status; Blood Pressure Screening; Blood Sugar and Cholesterol Screening; Breastfeeding Classes; Car Seat Program; Child Care Health Consultation; Children's Immunizations; Chronic Disease Primary Prevention Program; Communicable Disease Surveillance and Investigation; Denver II Developmental Screening; Food Service Inspection; Health Education Programs; HIV Testing; Lead Testing; Licensed Daycare Inspection; Local Emergency Planning and Response; Lodging Inspection; Maternal and Child Health Services; MC Plus Applications; Newborn Visit Program; Pregnancy Testing; Private Water Testing; School Health Services; TB Testing; Temporary Medicaid; Vital Records; Well-Child Clinic; WIC.

<http://grundy.lphamo.org>



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Mike O'Neal, Administrator**

Address: **1700 Bethany Ave., Highway 136 West, P.O. Box 425, Bethany, MO 64424**

Phone: **(660) 425-6324**

Population: **8,828**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1464**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Robert Harryman**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.14**

Total revenue: **\$642,803**

Local: **\$142,960**

State: **\$53,789**

Federal: **\$93,624**

Other: **\$352,431**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Meeting the health needs of the community.

Immunizations; WIC; Public Health Home Visits; Hypertension/Blood Sugar Screening; Cholesterol Screening; Office Day; Maternal Child Health; School Health Consultation; Communicable Disease Report; Vital Records; Referrals for Variety of Health Needs; Well-Child Clinic; Prenatal Care Management; Pregnancy Testing; Temp Medicaid Issuance; Home Health Agency; Hospice Agency.

www.hchdhealth.org



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Brenda Nelson, Administrator**

Address: **113 West Nodaway, P.O. Box 438, Oregon, MO 64473**

Phone: **(660) 446-2909**

Population: **5,145**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:2568**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Wayne Voltmer**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$145,670**

Local: **\$57,052**

State: **\$48,295**

Federal: **\$32,421**

Other: **\$7,903**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Better health care for the county.

Birth and Death Certificates/Registrar; Blood Pressure, Lead, TB, Diabetes, and Cholesterol Screenings; CD Surveillance; Environmental/Sanitarian Services; Health Counseling; Health Education; Immunizations; Maternal and Child Health; School Screening; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Elizabeth Moss, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **800 Adam Drive, P.O. Box 973, Chillicothe, MO 64601**

Phone: **(660) 646-5506**

Population: **14,387**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:893**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Randy Lowrey**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.25**

Total revenue: **\$623,386**

Local: **\$420,627**

State: **\$108,709**

Federal: **\$73,305**

Other: **\$20,745**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Try to look at each service program as a preventative health program.

Breastfeeding Support Group; CHC; Environmental Services; Health Education; HIV; Immunizations/TB Testing; MSCHS School Health Program; Newborn Home Visits; Public Health; WIC.



County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Phyllis Johnson, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **305 West Main, Princeton, MO 64673**

Phone: **(660) 748-3630**

Population: **3,596**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:3669**

Number of Hospitals: **0**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Ronald Hunt**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.30**

Total revenue: **\$378,839**

Local: **\$186,840**

State: **\$57,842**

Federal: **\$32,188**

Other: **\$101,969**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Diabetes education/support. Focus past year dealt with increase in Type 2 Diabetes, obesity/physical activity, and lead testing.

Bike Helmet Program; Birth/Death Certificates; Car Seat Program; CHART; Childhood Screenings; Community Screening Programs; Diabetes Educational Support Group; Environmental Services; Health Education; Home Health Services; Immunizations; Prenatal Classes-Parenting Classes; Public Health Home Visits; School Health; Suicide Prevention Programs; Temp Medicaid; WIC.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Della Rhoades, Administrator**

Address: **515 North Main, Maryville, MO 64468**

Phone: **(660) 562-2755**

Population: **21,743**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:984**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Joyce Tinsley**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.05**

Total revenue: **\$434,193**

Local: **\$182,696**

State: **\$87,606**

Federal: **\$163,892**

Other: **\$0**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To promote health care in the community.

Blood Pressure Screenings; Emergency Response Planning; Environmental; Health Education; Immunizations; TB Testing; WIC.

St. Joseph - Buchanan

C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Carl Sparks, Interim Director**

Address: **904 South Tenth, St. Joseph, MO 64503**

Phone: **(816) 271-4636**

Population: **84,909**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:466**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☐

City council/Commission ☒

David J. Jones, Mayor; Thomas J. Mann, Commissioner

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.21**

Total revenue: **\$3,439,477**

Local: **\$2,530,814**

State: **\$154,941**

Federal: **\$622,935**

Other: **\$130,788**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: To promote a healthy community.

Bioterrorism Epi Specialist and Planner; Education; HIV/AIDS Testing and Service Coordination; Immunizations; Lead Assessment; Lead Screening and Case Management; MC+ Enrollment; Pregnancy Care Management; Pregnancy Testing; STD; Vital Records; WIC.

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Tri-County - (DeKalb, Gentry, Worth)

Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Lilli Parsons, R.N., Administrator**

Address: **302 North Park, Stanberry, MO 64489**

Phone: **(660) 783-2707**

Population: **21,899** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:5277** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board ☒ County commission ☐ City council ☐

Board Chair: **Wayne Colhour**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$292,244**

Local: **\$55,045** State: **\$106,632** Federal: **\$92,607** Other: **\$37,960**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Health and safety in the communities of Worth, Gentry, and DeKalb Counties.

Case Management; Environmental; Family Planning; Health Education; Immunizations; Public H.V.; School Health; Well-Child Clinic; Wellness Screenings; WIC.



Public Health in Action

To Test and Strengthen

A public health story from...

Phelps/Maries County Health Department

Five local health departments put their emergency preparedness to the test.



The Phelps/Maries County Health Department is responsible for organizing emergency planning for the counties in south central Missouri. In October 2005, a preparedness exercise was conducted to test and strengthen interoperability among

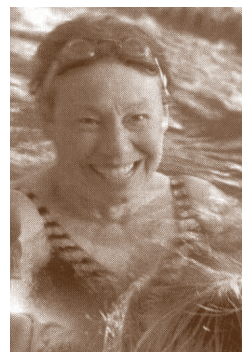
Region I's five local public health departments, which include Crawford, Dent, Laclede, Phelps, Maries and Pulaski counties.

In concurrence with influenza vaccination clinics, nursing and clerical staff from all of the region's local public health agencies were interchanged among the five different clinics and five different locations. The staff successfully adapted to different locations and new supervisors. Patient flow was not disrupted, and the staff reported that the experience provided valuable learning opportunities and a fresh perspective on clinic operations.

To enhance communication and seamless command and control procedures, a National Incident Management System compliant operating structure and terminology was used throughout the five clinic exercises. Colored vests were used to promote staff role identification and reduce and eliminate confusion.

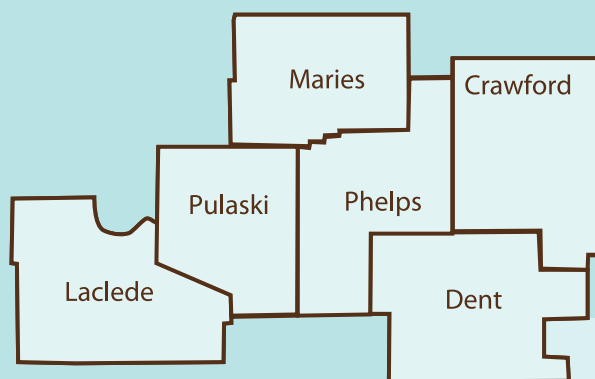
*“...working together
to meet our citizens’
needs...”*

The exercise was a success and further developed the team concept of all five local health departments working together to meet the citizens' needs. This teamwork had long been present among the administrators and communicable disease nursing staff, but now has expanded deeper in the organizations among the nursing and clerical staff. If an emergency situation occurs, the well-trained public health staff will be able to respond across the region and perform smoothly and competently.



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County Nursing Service

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Shirley Stulce, Administrator**

Address: **202 West Main Street, P.O. Box 367, Steelville, MO 65565**

Phone: **(573) 775-2555**

Population: **23,513** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:3310** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐

County commission ☒

City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Ed Worley**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$309,107**

Local: **\$113,411** State: **\$56,666** Federal: **\$100,768** Other: **\$38,262**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: WIC, Women's Wellness, Case Management, Education, Environmental Health Services, and MCH.

Adult TD Clinics; Birth and Death Certificates; Blood Pressure Checks; Cancer Screenings (BCCCP/Show Me Healthy Women); Car Seats/Booster Seats; Case Management (prenatal women and children); Childbirth Classes; Communicable Disease Follow-up and Treatment; Daycare Consultation and Training; Diabetes Testing; Educational Trainings; Environmental Health Specialist; Flu Shots; HIV Testing and Referral; Immunizations; Lead Screening for Children 7 and Under; MC+ Applications; Parenting Classes; Pregnancy Testing; Sanitarian Services; Speakers on Health Topics; STD Screening and Treatment; TB Testing and Treatment; Temporary Medicaid Card Issuance; WIC; Women's Wellness.



C o u n t y H e a l t h C e n t e r

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Jane Jadwin, Administrator**

Address: **601 South MacArthur, Salem, MO 65560**

Phone: **(573) 729-3106**

Population: **14,921** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1244** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Bob Parsons**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$383,067**

Local: **\$143,796** State: **\$51,600** Federal: **\$110,227** Other: **\$77,444**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Public health education, communicable disease control, WIC, environmental health services, and immunizations.

WIC; Temporary Medicaid Cards; Day Care Consultation; Lead Case Management; Prenatal Case Management; Immunizations; BP Screening; Health Education; Communicable Disease Follow-up and Control; Environmental Services; Nutritional Services.



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Charla Baker, Administrator**

Address: **405 Harwood Avenue, Lebanon, MO 65536**

Phone: **(417) 532-2134**

Population: **33,326**

Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:936**

Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Esther Hurney**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.10**

Total revenue: **\$620,520**

Local: **\$367,296**

State: **\$64,360**

Federal: **\$142,675**

Other: **\$46,189**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Facility is established, maintained, and operated for the improvement of health of citizens of Laclede County.

Arthritis Exercise; Birth and Death Certificates; Child Restraining Devices; Chronic Disease Monitoring; DNR Certified Water Lab; Food Service Sanitation Training; Health Education; HIV/AIDS Screening; Immunizations; Nail/Foot Care (Diabetics); Show Me Health Women; Speaker's Bureau; STD; WIC; Women's Wellness (Medicaid and Non-Insured).

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Phelps- Maries

County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Josephine (Jodi) Waltman, Administrator**

Address: **200 North Main, Suite G51, Rolla, MO 65401**

Phone: **(573) 458-6010**

Population: **50,509** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1680** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☐ County commission ☒ City council ☐

Presiding county commissioner: **Randy Verkamp, Phelps Co., and James Kleffner, Maries Co.**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0**

Total revenue: **\$1,279,837**

Local: **\$378,099** State: **\$104,737** Federal: **\$440,933** Other: **\$356,068**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Protecting and promoting the public health and assuring needed health care is available.

AIDS Testing; Birth and Death Certificates; Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Project; Case Management; Child Health Conferences; Community Assessment; Disease Surveillance; Family Planning; Food Service Inspection; Food Service Worker Training; Health Education; Home Visitation for Families; Immunizations; Lead Testing; MC+ Applications; School Health; Sewage System Construction Permits; STD; TB Testing; Temporary Medicaid Cards; WIC; Community Care Clinic (offers primary care, mental health counseling, and dental care to uninsured and Medicaid patients).



C o u n t y H e a l t h D e p a r t m e n t

County and Health Department Information

Title: **Angeline Beth Hutton, Administrator**

Address: **101 12th Street, Crocker, MO 65452**

Phone: **(573) 736-2217**

Population: **45,254** Ratio of primary care physicians per population: **1:1272** Number of Hospitals: **1**

Governance

Board of trustees (elected) ☒

County commission ☐

City council ☐

Board Chair: **Paul Beydler**

Funding

Mill tax rate: **\$0.08**

Total revenue: **\$1,571,402**

Local: **\$241,281** State: **\$135,680** Federal: **\$197,665** Other: **\$996,776**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: WIC, Family Planning, MCH Programs, Environmental Health, Home Health, Hospice, and Communicable Disease.

Aids Testing; Adult and Senior Clinic; Adult and Senior Services; Anadyne Therapy; Breast and Cervical Cancer Detection; Child Birth Classes; Community Assessment; Disease Surveillance; Environmental Services; Exercise Classes; Health Education; Home Health and Hospice; Immunization; Lead Testing; MC+ Applications; Prenatal Case Management; Registrar Services with Birth and Death Certificates; School Health; Screenings; STD; Temporary Medicaid Cards; WIC; Women's Wellness.

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